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ABSTRACT

As part of a districtwide follow-up study, California's American River College (ARC) surveyed 2,678 former students from 1993-94 to gather information on student outcomes and characteristics. This report presents findings for the college by academic program. First, a brief discussion of survey methodology is provided, indicating that surveys were sent to all graduates and certificate earners and a random sample of non-returning students who had not graduated; tables showing response rates are presented, indicating that 1,096 former students responded; and tables of overall responses are provided. Tables of responses are then presented for occupational education programs, including: accounting, general business, computer information science, early childhood education, electronics technology, engineering technology, fire technology, horticulture, human services, interior design, legal assisting, management, nursing, office administration, and real estate. Responses are then presented for general programs, including art, general education or transfer/liberal arts, interdisciplinary studies, science, and social sciences, and for undeclared students. For each section of responses, data are provided on student demographics, including completion and attendance status, gender, ethnicity, and age; college experience, including objectives and goals, reasons for not re-enrolling, units completed, license examination outcomes, satisfaction with ARC, rating of services, and benefits in terms of career plans; employment information, including student employment in jobs related and unrelated their studies; and continuing education status, including enrollment and transfer status and problems transferring. (HAA)

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MEASURES OF PROGRESS:

1995 PROJECT FOLLOW-UP

RESULTS OF A SURVEY OF
1993-94 GRADUATES AND NON-RETURNING STUDENTS

LOS RIOS COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

VOLUME I OF II-- FREQUENCIES AND PERCENTS
by College and Academic Program

AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

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General Programs

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Interdisciplinary Studies
Science
Social Sciences

Undeclared

SUMMARY OF RESPONSES: ALL PROGRAMS

1995 Student Follow-up
A Survey of 1993-94 Graduates and Non-Returning Students

In Spring 1995, Follow-up survey questionnaires were sent to former students who had attended a Los Rios college during the 1993-94 academic year. The survey's purpose was to assess: what happened to our students after they left their Los Rios college; whether their educational goals were met; how well programs and services offered met their individual needs; whether they were currently employed and where; whether they were working in fields related to their programs of study; whether they feel they were well prepared for employment; whether they have continued their education elsewhere; and whether they feel they were well prepared to do so. The survey population included all graduates and certificate earners for that year (including summer session) and a stratified random sample of non-returning students who had not graduated. Non-returning students were stratified by college; within each college they were stratified by gender, age and ethnicity. The following summary provides information regarding the survey population.

Summary of Responses:

AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

	Degree Recipients	Certificate Earners	Non-Returners	Total
Former Student Population 1993-94	936	192	15,312	16,440
Original Student Follow-up Survey Population	936	192	2,002	3,130
Student Follow-up Survey Population, excluding undeliverable mail	867	180	1,631	2,678
Number of Students Who Returned Surveys	514	107	475	1,096
Adjusted response rate*	59.3%	59.4%	29.1%	40.9%

*Excludes the undeliverable mail

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I. DEMOGRAPHICS OF SURVEY POPULATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

1096		TOTAL RESPONDENTS
Number	Percent	COMPLETION STATUS
475	43.3	Non-returning students
107	9.8	Certificate earners
514	46.9	Degree earners
		ATTENDANCE STATUS DURING LAST SEMESTER ATTENDED
157	16.2	Full-time
813	83.8	Part-time
		GENDER
388	35.4	Male
708	64.6	Female
		ETHNICITY
57	5.2	African American
24	2.2	Native American
112	10.2	Asian
77	7.0	Latino
788	71.9	White
35	3.2	Other
3	0.3	Unknown
		AGE
9	0.8	under 18
92	8.4	18-20
268	24.5	21-24
175	16.0	25-29
309	28.2	30-39
243	22.2	40 & over
		CLASSIFICATION STATUS
568	51.8	Occupational Education
528	48.2	All Others (General Programs)

I. End Notes

CLASSIFICATION STATUS -- Classification status of non-returning students was determined by courses completed during the 1993-94 Academic Year; those students who completed courses classified with a Sam Code of A, B, or C were counted as Occupational Education students, while all other students were classified as General Program students. The classification status of degree and certificate earners was based upon the actual classification of the award granted.

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

Number	Percent	PRIMARY OBJECTIVE FOR ATTENDING OUR COLLEGE
198	18.2	Prepare for job change/advancement in same career
68	6.2	Improve ability to perform at present job
186	17.1	Obtain license/certification or credential
21	1.9	Maintain license/certification or credential
519	47.7	Prepare to transfer to a 4-year college
40	3.7	Improve skills, not for employment purposes
57	5.2	Other
		COMPLETION OF THIS OBJECTIVE/GOAL
627	57.7	Fully completed
357	32.9	Partially completed
102	9.4	Not completed
844	77.0	**PLAN TO PURSUE THEIR OBJECTIVE FURTHER AND WHERE**
234	21.4	At our college
46	4.2	At another two-year college
482	44.0	At a four-year college/university
334	30.5	In some other way
		EDUCATION REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVE
309	28.6	Selected course(s)
126	11.7	Certificate program
572	53.0	Two-year associate degree program
72	6.7	Other
		PRIMARY REASON FOR NOT RE-ENROLLING AT OUR COLLEGE
394	36.8	Completed associate degree or certificate
91	8.5	Completed desired courses
185	17.3	Transferred to another college
34	3.2	Found or seeking employment
70	6.5	Job hours conflict with school
38	3.6	Moved out of area/transportation problems
33	3.1	College was too expensive
22	2.1	Availability of courses inadequate
5	0.5	Grade problems
12	1.1	Dissatisfied with quality of instruction
2	0.2	Dissatisfied with content of courses
86	8.0	Personal/family reasons not listed above
98	9.2	Other
		UNITS COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
20	1.9	none
200	18.7	.5 to 15.5
130	12.1	16 to 29.5
119	11.1	30 to 45.5
110	10.3	46 to 59.5
491	45.9	60 or more
		LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAMINATION
175	16.0	Intended to take license/cert./credential exam at time of enrollment
144	13.1	Took license/cert./credential exam
132	91.7	Passed license/cert./credential exam

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT (CONTINUED)

EVALUATION OF COURSES, SERVICES AND EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE
(5-point scale where 5 = very satisfied and 1 = very disappointed; average ratings reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	SATISFACTION WITH COURSES IN MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY
966	4.18	Quality of instruction
961	3.97	Grading/testing
960	4.16	Instructor Interest
956	4.08	Content of course(s)
941	3.75	Instructional media
956	3.79	Class size
		RATING OF COLLEGE SERVICES
428	3.85	Assessment Center
73	3.82	Child Care Center
724	3.59	Counseling/Advisement
287	3.63	Financial aid
202	3.99	Health Center
154	3.30	Job placement services
415	4.04	Learning Center/Labs
772	3.91	Library services
86	4.03	Services for disabled
138	3.54	Student activities
312	3.75	Transfer Center
181	3.67	Tutoring services
81	3.79	Veteran services
1085	4.13	GENERAL SATISFACTION WITH EXPERIENCE AT OUR COLLEGE

Number	Percent	BENEFIT OF COURSES COMPLETED IN TERMS OF CAREER PLANS
33	3.1	Of no benefit
238	22.3	Of indirect benefit
522	48.8	Of long term, direct benefit
276	25.8	Of immediate, direct benefit
		INTERESTED IN TAKING COURSES AT OUR COLLEGE IN FUTURE
633	59.9	Yes
424	40.1	No

II. End Notes

LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAM: those who intended to take the exam -- percent reported is total who intended to take exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who took the exam-- percent reported is total of those who took the exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who passed the exam -- percent reported is those who passed as a proportion of those who took the exam.

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

Number	Percent	
818	74.6	TOTAL RESPONDENTS WHO WERE EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY
		EMPLOYMENT STATUS AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY
813	75.1	Employed (includes full- and part-time)
5	0.5	Full-time military service
79	7.3	Unemployed (but actively seeking employment)
186	17.2	Not in labor force (and not seeking employment)
762	93.2	WERE EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA
		WERE EMPLOYED IN OCCUPATIONAL FIELD PRIOR TO ENROLLING
391	53.1	Yes
346	46.9	No
		JOB RELATED TO COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
371	50.9	Yes, directly or closely related
358	49.1	No, only remotely related or not related at all
		REASONS WHY OCCUPATIONAL AREA WAS NOT RELATED TO COURSES
76	16.5	Not sufficiently qualified for a job in my field
64	13.9	Preferred to work in another field
49	10.7	Found better paying job in another field
49	10.7	Could not find a job in field of preparation
13	2.8	Worked previously in field of preparation, but changed
122	26.5	Transferred to a four-year college
87	18.9	Other

A. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD RELATED TO MAJOR*

		EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amount	AVERAGE PAY
267	73.2	Full-time	227	$30692.68	Annual income
98	26.8	Part-time	91	$11.95	Hourly income
			90	24.8	Average hours worked/week

		WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*
144	27.4	Helped to obtain job
233	44.3	Helped performance on present job
104	19.8	Helped advance to present job
28	5.3	None of the above
17	3.2	Other

		TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*
100	28.1	Less than six months
34	9.6	Six months to one year
26	7.3	More than one year
196	55.1	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
365	3.98	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

B. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

Number	Percent	EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amount	AVERAGE PAY
199	56.4	Full-time	175	$29945.66	Annual income
154	43.6	Part-time	146	$16.63	Hourly income
			148	21.8	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

39	10.6	Helped to obtain job
83	22.6	Helped performance on present job
19	5.2	Helped advance to present job
186	50.7	None of the above
40	10.9	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE--RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

56	16.5	Less than six months
29	8.5	Six months to one year
18	5.3	More than one year
237	69.7	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
302	3.22	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR

III. End Notes

* RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED AND UNRELATED TO MAJOR REFERS TO MAJOR/COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY -- percent reported is total employed as a proportion of total respondents.

EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA -- percent reported is total employed in the SMSA as proportion of all respondents who are employed.

IV. COLLEGE/SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AT TIME OF SURVEY: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

Number	Percent	ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TIME OF SURVEY
507	46.6	Currently attending college or school
580	53.4	Not currently attending college or school

		TRANSFER STATUS
46	9.0	Enrolled at a Los Rios community college
33	6.4	Transferred to other CA community colleges
233	45.5	Transferred to CSU, Sacramento
58	11.3	Transferred to CSU, all other campuses
32	6.3	Transferred to UC, Davis
19	3.7	Transferred to UC, all other campuses
47	9.2	Transferred to private CA colleges/universities/schools
40	7.8	Transferred to out-of-state colleges/universities
4	0.8	Enrolled but did not identify their institutions

		AMONG THOSE WHO REPORTED THEIR MAJORS,
93	18.2	Were majoring in Business/Management/Economics
74	14.5	Were majoring in Social/Behavioral Sciences
38	7.5	Were majoring in Engineering/Architecture
32	6.3	Were majoring in Computer Science/Management Information Systems
16	3.1	Were majoring in Communications
67	13.1	Were majoring in Health/Health-Related Professions/Life Sciences
48	9.4	Were majoring in English/Humanities/Fine Arts
7	1.4	Were majoring in Math/Physical Sciences
29	5.7	Were majoring in Education/Early Childhood Education
17	3.3	Were majoring in Public Affairs/Public Management/Govt./Political Science
23	4.5	Were majoring in Liberal Studies/Interdisciplinary Studies/General Studies
11	2.2	Were majoring in Environmental Studies/Environmental Resource Management
30	5.9	Other majors
25	4.9	Enrolled but did not identify a major field of study

		PROBLEMS TRANSFERRING
434	89.5	No
51	10.5	Yes

PROBLEMS REPORTED WERE RELATED TO:

Number	Percent	
23	45.1	Transferring units
9	17.6	Transcripts
-0-	-0-	Admissions
-0-	-0-	Other

		UNITS ACCEPTED AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION
33	7.5	21 or more units not accepted
40	9.1	13-20 units not accepted
83	18.9	7-12 units not accepted
58	13.2	4-6 units not accepted
46	10.5	1-3 units not accepted
180	40.9	All units accepted

		ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
105	25.1	Part-time students (fewer than 12 units)
313	74.9	Full-time students (12 units or more)

		CLASSIFICATION AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
9	2.2	Freshmen
22	5.5	Sophomores
185	45.9	Juniors
164	40.7	Seniors
23	5.7	Graduate students

Number	Avg. Rating	RATING OF OUR COLLEGE--PREPARATION FOR CONTINUED EDUCATION
481	1.90	(5 point scale where 1 = preparation was excellent and 5 = preparation was inadequate; average rating reported)

OCCUPATIONAL EDUCATON PROGRAMS

I. DEMOGRAPHICS OF SURVEY POPULATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Accounting

35		TOTAL RESPONDENTS
Number	Percent	COMPLETION STATUS
16	45.7	Non-returning students
8	22.9	Certificate earners
11	31.4	Degree earners
		ATTENDANCE STATUS DURING LAST SEMESTER ATTENDED
3	8.8	Full-time
31	91.2	Part-time
		GENDER
9	25.7	Male
26	74.3	Female
		ETHNICITY
4	11.4	African American
-0-	-0-	Native American
4	11.4	Asian
4	11.4	Latino
21	60.0	White
2	5.7	Other
-0-	-0-	Unknown
		AGE
1	2.9	under 18
4	11.4	18-20
4	11.4	21-24
2	5.7	25-29
14	40.0	30-39
10	28.6	40 & over
		CLASSIFICATION STATUS
29	82.9	Occupational Education
6	17.1	All Others (General Programs)

I. End Notes

CLASSIFICATION STATUS -- Classification status of non-returning students was determined by courses completed during the 1993-94 Academic Year; those students who completed courses classified with a Sam Code of A, B, or C were counted as Occupational Education students, while all other students were classified as General Program students. The classification status of degree and certificate earners was based upon the actual classification of the award granted.

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Accounting

Number	Percent	
		PRIMARY OBJECTIVE FOR ATTENDING OUR COLLEGE
11	31.4	Prepare for job change/advancement in same career
1	2.9	Improve ability to perform at present job
6	17.1	Obtain license/certification or credential
-0-	-0-	Maintain license/certification or credential
13	37.1	Prepare to transfer to a 4-year college
-0-	-0-	Improve skills, not for employment purposes
4	11.4	Other
		COMPLETION OF THIS OBJECTIVE/GOAL
19	54.3	Fully completed
12	34.3	Partially completed
4	11.4	Not completed
20	57.1	PLAN TO PURSUE THEIR OBJECTIVE FURTHER AND WHERE
7	20.0	At our college
1	2.9	At another two-year college
10	28.6	At a four-year college/university
17	48.6	In some other way
		EDUCATION REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVE
9	25.7	Selected course(s)
5	14.3	Certificate program
19	54.3	Two-year associate degree program
2	5.7	Other
		PRIMARY REASON FOR NOT RE-ENROLLING AT OUR COLLEGE
11	33.3	Completed associate degree or certificate
3	9.1	Completed desired courses
5	15.2	Transferred to another college
1	3.0	Found or seeking employment
-0-	-0-	Job hours conflict with school
-0-	-0-	Moved out of area/transportation problems
3	9.1	College was too expensive
-0-	-0-	Availability of courses inadequate
-0-	-0-	Grade problems
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with quality of instruction
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with content of courses
7	21.2	Personal/family reasons not listed above
3	9.1	Other
		UNITS COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
-0-	-0-	none
5	14.7	.5 to 15.5
4	11.8	16 to 29.5
4	11.8	30 to 45.5
7	20.6	46 to 59.5
14	41.2	60 or more
		LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAMINATION
3	8.6	Intended to take license/cert./credential exam at time of enrollment
3	8.6	Took license/cert./credential exam
3	100	Passed license/cert./credential exam

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT (CONTINUED)

EVALUATION OF COURSES, SERVICES AND EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE
(5-point scale where 5 = very satisfied and 1 = very disappointed; average ratings reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	SATISFACTION WITH COURSES IN MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY
33	4.03	Quality of instruction
33	4.03	Grading/testing
33	4.12	Instructor interest
33	4.00	Content of course(s)
32	3.63	Instructional media
33	3.76	Class size
		RATING OF COLLEGE SERVICES
16	3.75	Assessment Center
5	4.60	Child Care Center
26	3.62	Counseling/Advisement
14	3.93	Financial aid
9	4.11	Health Center
10	3.40	Job placement services
16	4.00	Learning Center/Labs
27	3.93	Library services
6	4.17	Services for disabled
5	4.00	Student activities
9	3.78	Transfer Center
7	3.00	Tutoring services
4	3.75	Veteran services
35	4.11	GENERAL SATISFACTION WITH EXPERIENCE AT OUR COLLEGE

Number	Percent	BENEFIT OF COURSES COMPLETED IN TERMS OF CAREER PLANS
2	5.7	Of no benefit
5	14.3	Of indirect benefit
20	57.1	Of long term, direct benefit
8	22.9	Of immediate, direct benefit
		INTERESTED IN TAKING COURSES AT OUR COLLEGE IN FUTURE
25	73.5	Yes
9	26.5	No

II. End Notes

LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAM: those who intended to take the exam -- percent reported is total who intended to take exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who took the exam-- percent reported is total of those who took the exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who passed the exam -- percent reported is those who passed as a proportion of those who took the exam.

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Accounting

Number	Percent	
27	77.1	TOTAL RESPONDENTS WHO WERE EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY
		EMPLOYMENT STATUS AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY
27	77.1	Employed (includes full- and part-time)
-0-	-0-	Full-time military service
2	5.7	Unemployed (but actively seeking employment)
6	17.1	Not in labor force (and not seeking employment)
25	92.6	WERE EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA
		WERE EMPLOYED IN OCCUPATIONAL FIELD PRIOR TO ENROLLING
11	45.8	Yes
13	54.2	No
		JOB RELATED TO COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
15	65.2	Yes, directly or closely related
8	34.8	No, only remotely related or not related at all
		REASONS WHY OCCUPATIONAL AREA WAS NOT RELATED TO COURSES
1	10.0	Not sufficiently qualified for a job in my field
-0-	-0-	Preferred to work in another field
3	30.0	Found better paying job in another field
3	30.0	Could not find a job in field of preparation
-0-	-0-	Worked previously in field of preparation, but changed
1	10.0	Transferred to a four-year college
2	20.0	Other

A. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD RELATED TO MAJOR*

		EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amount	AVERAGE PAY
13	86.7	Full-time	13	$25307.38	Annual income
2	13.3	Part-time	2	$6.87	Hourly income
			1	30.0	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

3	16.7	Helped to obtain job
8	44.4	Helped performance on present job
6	33.3	Helped advance to present job
-0-	-0-	None of the above
1	5.6	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

4	28.6	Less than six months
2	14.3	Six months to one year
-0-	-0-	More than one year
8	57.1	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
15	3.80	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

B. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

Number	Percent	EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amt.	AVERAGE PAY
6	75.0	Full-time	6	$20786.67	Annual income
2	25.0	Part-time	1	$8.39	Hourly income
			1	24.0	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

2	25.0	Helped to obtain job
-0-	-0-	Helped performance on present job
-0-	-0-	Helped advance to present job
6	75.0	None of the above
-0-	-0-	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE--RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

1	12.5	Less than six months
2	25.0	Six months to one year
1	12.5	More than one year
4	50.0	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
8	3.00	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR

III. End Notes

* RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED AND UNRELATED TO MAJOR REFERS TO MAJOR/COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY -- percent reported is total employed as a proportion of total respondents.

EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA -- percent reported is total employed in the SMSA as proportion of all respondents who are employed.

IV. COLLEGE/SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AT TIME OF SURVEY: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Accounting

Number	Percent	ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TIME OF SURVEY
12	34.3	Currently attending college or school
23	65.7	Not currently attending college or school

		TRANSFER STATUS
1	8.3	Enrolled at a Los Rios community college
-0-	-0-	Transferred to other CA community colleges
9	75.0	Transferred to CSU, Sacramento
-0-	-0-	Transferred to CSU, all other campuses
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, Davis
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, all other campuses
1	8.3	Transferred to private CA colleges/universities/schools
1	8.3	Transferred to out-of-state colleges/universities
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify their institutions

		AMONG THOSE WHO REPORTED THEIR MAJORS,
9	75.0	Were majoring in Business/Management/Economics
1	8.3	Were majoring in Social/Behavioral Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Engineering/Architecture
1	8.3	Were majoring in Computer Science/Management Information Systems
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Communications
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Health/Health-Related Professions/Life Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in English/Humanities/Fine Arts
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Math/Physical Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Education/Early Childhood Education
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Public Affairs/Public Management/Govt./Political Science
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Liberal Studies/Interdisciplinary Studies/General Studies
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Environmental Studies/Environmental Resource Management
-0-	-0-	Other majors
1	8.3	Enrolled but did not identify a major field of study

		PROBLEMS TRANSFERRING
10	100	No
-0-	-0-	Yes

PROBLEMS REPORTED WERE RELATED TO:

Number	Percent	
-0-	-0-	Transferring units
-0-	-0-	Transcripts
-0-	-0-	Admissions
-0-	-0-	Other

		UNITS ACCEPTED AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION
2	18.2	21 or more units not accepted
2	18.2	13-20 units not accepted
1	9.1	7-12 units not accepted
1	9.1	4-6 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	1-3 units not accepted
5	45.5	All units accepted

		ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
3	33.3	Part-time students (fewer than 12 units)
6	66.7	Full-time students (12 units or more)

		CLASSIFICATION AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
-0-	-0-	Freshmen
-0-	-0-	Sophomores
6	66.7	Juniors
3	33.3	Seniors
-0-	-0-	Graduate students

Number	Avg. Rating	RATING OF OUR COLLEGE--PREPARATION FOR CONTINUED EDUCATION
11	1.90	(5 point scale where 1 = preparation was excellent and 5 = preparation was inadequate; average rating reported)

I. DEMOGRAPHICS OF SURVEY POPULATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Business (General)

66		TOTAL RESPONDENTS
Number	Percent	COMPLETION STATUS
25	37.9	Non-returning students
-0-	-0-	Certificate earners
41	62.1	Degree earners
		ATTENDANCE STATUS DURING LAST SEMESTER ATTENDED
14	23.3	Full-time
46	76.7	Part-time
		GENDER
29	43.9	Male
37	56.1	Female
		ETHNICITY
4	6.1	African American
-0-	-0-	Native American
5	7.6	Asian
6	9.1	Latino
50	75.8	White
1	1.5	Other
-0-	-0-	Unknown
		AGE
1	1.5	under 18
2	3.0	18-20
17	25.8	21-24
12	18.2	25-29
14	21.2	30-39
20	30.3	40 & over
		CLASSIFICATION STATUS
57	86.4	Occupational Education
9	13.6	All Others (General Programs)

I. End Notes

CLASSIFICATION STATUS – Classification status of non-returning students was determined by courses completed during the 1993-94 Academic Year; those students who completed courses classified with a Sam Code of A, B, or C were counted as Occupational Education students, while all other students were classified as General Program students. The classification status of degree and certificate earners was based upon the actual classification of the award granted.

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Business (General)

Number	Percent	
		PRIMARY OBJECTIVE FOR ATTENDING OUR COLLEGE
10	15.4	Prepare for job change/advancement in same career
5	7.7	Improve ability to perform at present job
1	1.5	Obtain license/certification or credential
2	3.1	Maintain license/certification or credential
42	64.6	Prepare to transfer to a 4-year college
2	3.1	Improve skills, not for employment purposes
3	4.6	Other
		COMPLETION OF THIS OBJECTIVE/GOAL
38	57.6	Fully completed
20	30.3	Partially completed
8	12.1	Not completed
57	86.4	PLAN TO PURSUE THEIR OBJECTIVE FURTHER AND WHERE
10	15.2	At our college
2	3.0	At another two-year college
39	59.1	At a four-year college/university
15	22.7	In some other way
		EDUCATION REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVE
16	24.2	Selected course(s)
2	3.0	Certificate program
43	65.2	Two-year associate degree program
5	7.6	Other
		PRIMARY REASON FOR NOT RE-ENROLLING AT OUR COLLEGE
28	43.1	Completed associate degree or certificate
2	3.1	Completed desired courses
16	24.6	Transferred to another college
2	3.1	Found or seeking employment
2	3.1	Job hours conflict with school
2	3.1	Moved out of area/transportation problems
-0-	-0-	College was too expensive
3	4.6	Availability of courses inadequate
-0-	-0-	Grade problems
1	1.5	Dissatisfied with quality of instruction
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with content of courses
2	3.1	Personal/family reasons not listed above
7	10.8	Other
		UNITS COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
1	1.5	none
12	18.2	.5 to 15.5
3	4.5	16 to 29.5
9	13.6	30 to 45.5
7	10.6	46 to 59.5
34	51.5	60 or more
		LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAMINATION
3	4.5	Intended to take license/cert./credential exam at time of enrollment
4	6.1	Took license/cert./credential exam
3	75.0	Passed license/cert./credential exam

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT (CONTINUED)

EVALUATION OF COURSES, SERVICES AND EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE
(5-point scale where 5 = very satisfied and 1 = very disappointed; average ratings reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	SATISFACTION WITH COURSES IN MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY
62	4.10	Quality of instruction
63	3.86	Grading/testing
63	3.97	Instructor Interest
61	3.97	Content of course(s)
61	3.57	Instructional media
62	3.77	Class size
		RATING OF COLLEGE SERVICES
27	3.67	Assessment Center
2	3.50	Child Care Center
51	3.57	Counseling/Advisement
17	3.41	Financial aid
5	4.60	Health Center
6	3.50	Job placement services
32	4.00	Learning Center/Labs
47	4.00	Library services
6	4.17	Services for disabled
12	3.50	Student activities
27	3.67	Transfer Center
14	3.79	Tutoring services
8	4.38	Veteran services
66	4.18	GENERAL SATISFACTION WITH EXPERIENCE AT OUR COLLEGE

Number	Percent	BENEFIT OF COURSES COMPLETED IN TERMS OF CAREER PLANS
3	4.7	Of no benefit
16	25.0	Of indirect benefit
32	50.0	Of long term, direct benefit
13	20.3	Of immediate, direct benefit
		INTERESTED IN TAKING COURSES AT OUR COLLEGE IN FUTURE
34	55.7	Yes
27	44.3	No

II. End Notes

LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAM: those who intended to take the exam -- percent reported is total who intended to take exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who took the exam-- percent reported is total of those who took the exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who passed the exam -- percent reported is those who passed as a proportion of those who took the exam.

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Business (General)

Number	Percent	
48	72.7	TOTAL RESPONDENTS WHO WERE EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY
		EMPLOYMENT STATUS AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY
47	71.2	Employed (includes full- and part-time)
1	1.5	Full-time military service
6	9.1	Unemployed (but actively seeking employment)
12	18.2	Not in labor force (and not seeking employment)
47	97.9	WERE EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA
		WERE EMPLOYED IN OCCUPATIONAL FIELD PRIOR TO ENROLLING
23	52.3	Yes
21	47.7	No
		JOB RELATED TO COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
22	50.0	Yes, directly or closely related
22	50.0	No, only remotely related or not related at all
		REASONS WHY OCCUPATIONAL AREA WAS NOT RELATED TO COURSES
8	27.6	Not sufficiently qualified for a job in my field
3	10.3	Preferred to work in another field
1	3.4	Found better paying job in another field
2	6.9	Could not find a job in field of preparation
1	3.4	Worked previously in field of preparation, but changed
8	27.6	Transferred to a four-year college
6	20.7	Other

A. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD RELATED TO MAJOR*

		EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amount	AVERAGE PAY
16	72.7	Full-time	13	$31453.54	Annual income
6	27.3	Part-time	5	$11.03	Hourly income
			5	21.0	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

5	17.9	Helped to obtain job
13	46.4	Helped performance on present job
7	25.0	Helped advance to present job
3	10.7	None of the above
-0-	-0-	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

2	9.5	Less than six months
1	4.8	Six months to one year
1	4.8	More than one year
17	81.0	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
21	3.76	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

B. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

Number	Percent	EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amt.	AVERAGE PAY
7	31.8	Full-time	6	$29033.33	Annual income
15	68.2	Part-time	14	$7.57	Hourly income
			14	23.5	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

2	8.7	Helped to obtain job
4	17.4	Helped performance on present job
1	4.3	Helped advance to present job
15	65.2	None of the above
1	4.3	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE--RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

4	18.2	Less than six months
-0-	-0-	Six months to one year
-0-	-0-	More than one year
18	81.8	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
19	3.21	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR

III. End Notes

* RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED AND UNRELATED TO MAJOR REFERS TO MAJOR/COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY -- percent reported is total employed as a proportion of total respondents.

EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA -- percent reported is total employed in the SMSA as proportion of all respondents who are employed.

IV. COLLEGE/SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AT TIME OF SURVEY: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Business (General)

Number	Percent	ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TIME OF SURVEY
43	65.2	Currently attending college or school
23	34.8	Not currently attending college or school

		TRANSFER STATUS
-0-	-0-	Enrolled at a Los Rios community college
1	2.9	Transferred to other CA community colleges
20	57.1	Transferred to CSU, Sacramento
2	5.7	Transferred to CSU, all other campuses
1	2.9	Transferred to UC, Davis
2	5.7	Transferred to UC, all other campuses
5	14.3	Transferred to private CA colleges/universities/schools
4	11.4	Transferred to out-of-state colleges/universities
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify their institutions

		AMONG THOSE WHO REPORTED THEIR MAJORS,
29	82.9	Were majoring in Business/Management/Economics
1	2.9	Were majoring in Social/Behavioral Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Engineering/Architecture
2	5.7	Were majoring in Computer Science/Management Information Systems
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Communications
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Health/Health-Related Professions/Life Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in English/Humanities/Fine Arts
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Math/Physical Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Education/Early Childhood Education
1	2.9	Were majoring in Public Affairs/Public Management/Govt./Political Science
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Liberal Studies/Interdisciplinary Studies/General Studies
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Environmental Studies/Environmental Resource Management
1	2.9	Other majors
1	2.9	Enrolled but did not identify a major field of study

PROBLEMS TRANSFERRING

31	91.2	No
3	8.8	Yes

PROBLEMS REPORTED WERE RELATED TO:

Number	Percent	
3	100	Transferring units
-0-	-0-	Transcripts
-0-	-0-	Admissions
-0-	-0-	Other

		UNITS ACCEPTED AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION
4	12.5	21 or more units not accepted
4	12.5	13-20 units not accepted
8	25.0	7-12 units not accepted
4	12.5	4-6 units not accepted
1	3.1	1-3 units not accepted
11	34.4	All units accepted

		ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
7	21.9	Part-time students (fewer than 12 units)
25	78.1	Full-time students (12 units or more)

		CLASSIFICATION AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
1	3.0	Freshmen
4	12.1	Sophomores
12	36.4	Juniors
16	48.5	Seniors
-0-	-0-	Graduate students

Number	Avg. Rating	RATING OF OUR COLLEGE--PREPARATION FOR CONTINUED EDUCATION
34	2.00	(5 point scale where 1 = preparation was excellent and 5 = preparation was inadequate; average rating reported)

I. DEMOGRAPHICS OF SURVEY POPULATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Computer Information Science

33		TOTAL RESPONDENTS
Number	Percent	COMPLETION STATUS
27	81.8	Non-returning students
-0-	-0-	Certificate earners
6	18.2	Degree earners
		ATTENDANCE STATUS DURING LAST SEMESTER ATTENDED
1	3.4	Full-time
28	96.6	Part-time
		GENDER
17	51.5	Male
16	48.5	Female
		ETHNICITY
-0-	-0-	African American
-0-	-0-	Native American
8	24.2	Asian
1	3.0	Latino
22	66.7	White
2	6.1	Other
-0-	-0-	Unknown
		AGE
-0-	-0-	under 18
1	3.0	18-20
4	12.1	21-24
1	3.0	25-29
17	51.5	30-39
10	30.3	40 & over
		CLASSIFICATION STATUS
26	78.8	Occupational Education
7	21.2	All Others (General Programs)

I. End Notes

CLASSIFICATION STATUS -- Classification status of non-returning students was determined by courses completed during the 1993-94 Academic Year; those students who completed courses classified with a Sam Code of A, B, or C were counted as Occupational Education students, while all other students were classified as General Program students. The classification status of degree and certificate earners was based upon the actual classification of the award granted.

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Computer Information Science

Number	Percent	
		PRIMARY OBJECTIVE FOR ATTENDING OUR COLLEGE
12	36.4	Prepare for job change/advancement in same career
9	27.3	Improve ability to perform at present job
2	6.1	Obtain license/certification or credential
1	3.0	Maintain license/certification or credential
6	18.2	Prepare to transfer to a 4-year college
1	3.0	Improve skills, not for employment purposes
2	6.1	Other
		COMPLETION OF THIS OBJECTIVE/GOAL
12	36.4	Fully completed
19	57.6	Partially completed
2	6.1	Not completed
21	63.6	PLAN TO PURSUE THEIR OBJECTIVE FURTHER AND WHERE
10	30.3	At our college
1	3.0	At another two-year college
7	21.2	At a four-year college/university
15	45.5	In some other way
		EDUCATION REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVE
20	60.6	Selected course(s)
2	6.1	Certificate program
10	30.3	Two-year associate degree program
1	3.0	Other
		PRIMARY REASON FOR NOT RE-ENROLLING AT OUR COLLEGE
5	15.2	Completed associate degree or certificate
8	24.2	Completed desired courses
2	6.1	Transferred to another college
2	6.1	Found or seeking employment
5	15.2	Job hours conflict with school
2	6.1	Moved out of area/transportation problems
1	3.0	College was too expensive
1	3.0	Availability of courses inadequate
-0-	-0-	Grade problems
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with quality of instruction
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with content of courses
7	21.2	Personal/family reasons not listed above
-0-	-0-	Other
		UNITS COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
1	3.2	none
11	35.5	.5 to 15.5
3	9.7	16 to 29.5
5	16.1	30 to 45.5
2	6.5	46 to 59.5
9	29.0	60 or more
		LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAMINATION
1	3.0	Intended to take license/cert./credential exam at time of enrollment
-0-	-0-	Took license/cert./credential exam
-0-	-0-	Passed license/cert./credential exam

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT (CONTINUED)

EVALUATION OF COURSES, SERVICES AND EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE
(5-point scale where 5 = very satisfied and 1 = very disappointed; average ratings reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	SATISFACTION WITH COURSES IN MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY
28	4.00	Quality of instruction
27	3.85	Grading/testing
27	3.93	Instructor interest
27	3.93	Content of course(s)
26	3.65	Instructional media
27	3.85	Class size
		RATING OF COLLEGE SERVICES
7	4.00	Assessment Center
-0-	0.00	Child Care Center
12	3.42	Counseling/Advisement
2	4.50	Financial aid
2	4.50	Health Center
2	3.50	Job placement services
11	4.09	Learning Center/Labs
18	3.78	Library services
2	4.00	Services for disabled
3	4.33	Student activities
3	4.00	Transfer Center
1	4.00	Tutoring services
1	3.00	Veteran services
33	3.94	GENERAL SATISFACTION WITH EXPERIENCE AT OUR COLLEGE

Number	Percent	BENEFIT OF COURSES COMPLETED IN TERMS OF CAREER PLANS
-0-	-0-	Of no benefit
9	28.1	Of indirect benefit
12	37.5	Of long term, direct benefit
11	34.4	Of immediate, direct benefit
		INTERESTED IN TAKING COURSES AT OUR COLLEGE IN FUTURE
21	65.6	Yes
11	34.4	No

II. End Notes

LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAM: those who intended to take the exam -- percent reported is total who intended to take exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who took the exam-- percent reported is total of those who took the exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who passed the exam -- percent reported is those who passed as a proportion of those who took the exam.

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Computer Information Science

Number	Percent	
25	75.8	TOTAL RESPONDENTS WHO WERE EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY
		EMPLOYMENT STATUS AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY
25	75.8	Employed (includes full- and part-time)
-0-	-0-	Full-time military service
4	12.1	Unemployed (but actively seeking employment)
4	12.1	Not in labor force (and not seeking employment)
25	100	WERE EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA
		WERE EMPLOYED IN OCCUPATIONAL FIELD PRIOR TO ENROLLING
17	73.9	Yes
6	26.1	No
		JOB RELATED TO COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
17	73.9	Yes, directly or closely related
6	26.1	No, only remotely related or not related at all
		REASONS WHY OCCUPATIONAL AREA WAS NOT RELATED TO COURSES
1	14.3	Not sufficiently qualified for a job in my field
1	14.3	Preferred to work in another field
1	14.3	Found better paying job in another field
-0-	-0-	Could not find a job in field of preparation
-0-	-0-	Worked previously in field of preparation, but changed
2	28.6	Transferred to a four-year college
2	28.6	Other

A. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD RELATED TO MAJOR*

		EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amount	AVERAGE PAY
16	94.1	Full-time	14	$33003.57	Annual income
1	5.9	Part-time	1	$9.37	Hourly income
			1	24.0	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

3	14.3	Helped to obtain job
12	57.1	Helped performance on present job
4	19.0	Helped advance to present job
2	9.5	None of the above
-0-	-0-	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

2	11.8	Less than six months
1	5.9	Six months to one year
1	5.9	More than one year
13	76.5	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
17	3.88	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

B. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

Number	Percent	EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amt.	AVERAGE PAY
5	83.3	Full-time	4	$27875.00	Annual income
1	16.7	Part-time	1	$6.50	Hourly income
			1	14.0	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

-0-	-0-	Helped to obtain job
2	33.3	Helped performance on present job
-0-	-0-	Helped advance to present job
4	66.7	None of the above
-0-	-0-	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE--RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

1	16.7	Less than six months
-0-	-0-	Six months to one year
-0-	-0-	More than one year
5	83.3	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
6	2.83	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR

III. End Notes

* RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED AND UNRELATED TO MAJOR REFERS TO MAJOR/COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY -- percent reported is total employed as a proportion of total respondents.

EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA -- percent reported is total employed in the SMSA as proportion of all respondents who are employed.

IV. COLLEGE/SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AT TIME OF SURVEY: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Computer Information Science

Number	Percent	ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TIME OF SURVEY
7	21.2	Currently attending college or school
26	78.8	Not currently attending college or school
		TRANSFER STATUS
-0-	-0-	Enrolled at a Los Rios community college
1	11.1	Transferred to other CA community colleges
4	44.4	Transferred to CSU, Sacramento
1	11.1	Transferred to CSU, all other campuses
1	11.1	Transferred to UC, Davis
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, all other campuses
1	11.1	Transferred to private CA colleges/universities/schools
1	11.1	Transferred to out-of-state colleges/universities
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify their institutions
		AMONG THOSE WHO REPORTED THEIR MAJORS,
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Business/Management/Economics
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Social/Behavioral Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Engineering/Architecture
9	100	Were majoring in Computer Science/Management Information Systems
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Communications
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Health/Health-Related Professions/Life Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in English/Humanities/Fine Arts
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Math/Physical Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Education/Early Childhood Education
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Public Affairs/Public Management/Govt./Political Science
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Liberal Studies/Interdisciplinary Studies/General Studies
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Environmental Studies/Environmental Resource Management
-0-	-0-	Other majors
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify a major field of study
		PROBLEMS TRANSFERRING
8	88.9	No
1	11.1	Yes

PROBLEMS REPORTED WERE RELATED TO:

Number	Percent	
1	100	Transferring units
-0-	-0-	Transcripts
-0-	-0-	Admissions
-0-	-0-	Other

		UNITS ACCEPTED AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION
-0-	-0-	21 or more units not accepted
1	12.5	13-20 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	7-12 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	4-6 units not accepted
2	25.0	1-3 units not accepted
5	62.5	All units accepted
		ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
2	28.6	Part-time students (fewer than 12 units)
5	71.4	Full-time students (12 units or more)
		CLASSIFICATION AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
1	16.7	Freshmen
-0-	-0-	Sophomores
2	33.3	Juniors
3	50.0	Seniors
-0-	-0-	Graduate students

Number	Avg. Rating	RATING OF OUR COLLEGE--PREPARATION FOR CONTINUED EDUCATION
8	2.30	(5 point scale where 1 = preparation was excellent and 5 = preparation was inadequate; average rating reported)

I. DEMOGRAPHICS OF SURVEY POPULATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Early Childhood Education

54		TOTAL RESPONDENTS
Number	Percent	COMPLETION STATUS
12	22.2	Non-returning students
33	61.1	Certificate earners
9	16.7	Degree earners
		ATTENDANCE STATUS DURING LAST SEMESTER ATTENDED
1	1.9	Full-time
51	98.1	Part-time
		GENDER
-0-	-0-	Male
54	100	Female
		ETHNICITY
5	9.3	African American
1	1.9	Native American
4	7.4	Asian
3	5.6	Latino
40	74.1	White
1	1.9	Other
-0-	-0-	Unknown
		AGE
-0-	-0-	under 18
4	7.4	18-20
11	20.4	21-24
10	18.5	25-29
13	24.1	30-39
16	29.6	40 & over
		CLASSIFICATION STATUS
51	94.4	Occupational Education
3	5.6	All Others (General Programs)

I. End Notes

CLASSIFICATION STATUS -- Classification status of non-returning students was determined by courses completed during the 1993-94 Academic Year; those students who completed courses classified with a Sam Code of A, B, or C were counted as Occupational Education students, while all other students were classified as General Program students. The classification status of degree and certificate earners was based upon the actual classification of the award granted.

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Early Childhood Education

Number	Percent	
		PRIMARY OBJECTIVE FOR ATTENDING OUR COLLEGE
9	17.0	Prepare for job change/advancement in same career
3	5.7	Improve ability to perform at present job
21	39.6	Obtain license/certification or credential
2	3.8	Maintain license/certification or credential
16	30.2	Prepare to transfer to a 4-year college
-0-	-0-	Improve skills, not for employment purposes
2	3.8	Other
		COMPLETION OF THIS OBJECTIVE/GOAL
28	51.9	Fully completed
25	46.3	Partially completed
1	1.9	Not completed
44	81.5	PLAN TO PURSUE THEIR OBJECTIVE FURTHER AND WHERE
24	44.4	At our college
3	5.6	At another two-year college
14	25.9	At a four-year college/university
13	24.1	In some other way
		EDUCATION REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVE
10	18.5	Selected course(s)
16	29.6	Certificate program
22	40.7	Two-year associate degree program
6	11.1	Other
		PRIMARY REASON FOR NOT RE-ENROLLING AT OUR COLLEGE
13	24.5	Completed associate degree or certificate
7	13.2	Completed desired courses
1	1.9	Transferred to another college
2	3.8	Found or seeking employment
5	9.4	Job hours conflict with school
3	5.7	Moved out of area/transportation problems
2	3.8	College was too expensive
1	1.9	Availability of courses inadequate
-0-	-0-	Grade problems
1	1.9	Dissatisfied with quality of instruction
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with content of courses
4	7.5	Personal/family reasons not listed above
14	26.4	Other
		UNITS COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
-0-	-0-	none
11	20.8	.5 to 15.5
14	26.4	16 to 29.5
11	20.8	30 to 45.5
4	7.5	46 to 59.5
13	24.5	60 or more
		LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAMINATION
9	16.7	Intended to take license/cert./credential exam at time of enrollment
7	13.0	Took license/cert./credential exam
7	100	Passed license/cert./credential exam

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT (CONTINUED)

EVALUATION OF COURSES, SERVICES AND EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE
(5-point scale where 5 = very satisfied and 1 = very disappointed; average ratings reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	SATISFACTION WITH COURSES IN MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY
51	4.47	Quality of instruction
51	4.25	Grading/testing
51	4.41	Instructor Interest
51	4.18	Content of course(s)
50	4.06	Instructional media
51	3.98	Class size
		RATING OF COLLEGE SERVICES
16	3.56	Assessment Center
8	4.00	Child Care Center
36	3.56	Counseling/Advisement
11	4.18	Financial aid
16	4.38	Health Center
8	4.13	Job placement services
13	4.38	Learning Center/Labs
39	3.95	Library services
6	4.17	Services for disabled
3	4.00	Student activities
8	3.75	Transfer Center
8	3.63	Tutoring services
1	4.00	Veteran services
54	4.28	GENERAL SATISFACTION WITH EXPERIENCE AT OUR COLLEGE

Number	Percent	BENEFIT OF COURSES COMPLETED IN TERMS OF CAREER PLANS
1	1.9	Of no benefit
7	13.0	Of indirect benefit
29	53.7	Of long term, direct benefit
17	31.5	Of immediate, direct benefit
		INTERESTED IN TAKING COURSES AT OUR COLLEGE IN FUTURE
36	69.2	Yes
16	30.8	No

II. End Notes

LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAM: those who intended to take the exam -- percent reported is total who intended to take exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who took the exam-- percent reported is total of those who took the exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who passed the exam -- percent reported is those who passed as a proportion of those who took the exam.

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Early Childhood Education

Number	Percent	
47	87.0	TOTAL RESPONDENTS WHO WERE EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY
		EMPLOYMENT STATUS AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY
47	88.7	Employed (includes full- and part-time)
-0-	-0-	Full-time military service
3	5.7	Unemployed (but actively seeking employment)
3	5.7	Not in labor force (and not seeking employment)
43	91.5	WERE EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA
		WERE EMPLOYED IN OCCUPATIONAL FIELD PRIOR TO ENROLLING
29	69.0	Yes
13	31.0	No
		JOB RELATED TO COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
30	73.2	Yes, directly or closely related
11	26.8	No, only remotely related or not related at all
		REASONS WHY OCCUPATIONAL AREA WAS NOT RELATED TO COURSES
1	6.3	Not sufficiently qualified for a job in my field
2	12.5	Preferred to work in another field
7	43.8	Found better paying job in another field
-0-	-0-	Could not find a job in field of preparation
2	12.5	Worked previously in field of preparation, but changed
3	18.8	Transferred to a four-year college
1	6.3	Other

A. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD RELATED TO MAJOR*

		EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amount	AVERAGE PAY
18	62.1	Full-time	15	$17289.33	Annual income
11	37.9	Part-time	9	$9.88	Hourly income
			10	25.1	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

15	31.3	Helped to obtain job
23	47.9	Helped performance on present job
9	18.8	Helped advance to present job
-0-	-0-	None of the above
1	2.1	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

9	32.1	Less than six months
2	7.1	Six months to one year
1	3.6	More than one year
16	57.1	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
30	4.23	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

B. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

Number	Percent	EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amt.	AVERAGE PAY
5	45.5	Full-time	5	$25600.00	Annual income
6	54.5	Part-time	6	$8.81	Hourly income
			6	24.0	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

1	7.7	Helped to obtain job
2	15.4	Helped performance on present job
-0-	-0-	Helped advance to present job
5	38.5	None of the above
5	38.5	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE--RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

1	10.0	Less than six months
1	10.0	Six months to one year
-0-	-0-	More than one year
8	80.0	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
10	3.50	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR

III. End Notes

* RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED AND UNRELATED TO MAJOR REFERS TO MAJOR/COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY -- percent reported is total employed as a proportion of total respondents.

EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA -- percent reported is total employed in the SMSA as proportion of all respondents who are employed.

IV. COLLEGE/SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AT TIME OF SURVEY: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Early Childhood Education

Number	Percent	ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TIME OF SURVEY
22	40.7	Currently attending college or school
32	59.3	Not currently attending college or school

		TRANSFER STATUS
6	42.9	Enrolled at a Los Rios community college
2	14.3	Transferred to other CA community colleges
5	35.7	Transferred to CSU, Sacramento
-0-	-0-	Transferred to CSU, all other campuses
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, Davis
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, all other campuses
-0-	-0-	Transferred to private CA colleges/universities/schools
-0-	-0-	Transferred to out-of-state colleges/universities
1	7.1	Enrolled but did not identify their institutions

		AMONG THOSE WHO REPORTED THEIR MAJORS,
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Business/Management/Economics
2	15.4	Were majoring in Social/Behavioral Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Engineering/Architecture
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Computer Science/Management Information Systems
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Communications
1	7.7	Were majoring in Health/Health-Related Professions/Life Sciences
1	7.7	Were majoring in English/Humanities/Fine Arts
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Math/Physical Sciences
6	46.2	Were majoring in Education/Early Childhood Education
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Public Affairs/Public Management/Govt./Political Science
3	23.1	Were majoring in Liberal Studies/Interdisciplinary Studies/General Studies
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Environmental Studies/Environmental Resource Management
-0-	-0-	Other majors
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify a major field of study

		PROBLEMS TRANSFERRING
11	91.7	No
1	8.3	Yes

PROBLEMS REPORTED WERE RELATED TO:

Number	Percent	
-0-	-0-	Transferring units
-0-	-0-	Transcripts
-0-	-0-	Admissions
-0-	-0-	Other

		UNITS ACCEPTED AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION
-0-	-0-	21 or more units not accepted
-0-	-0-	13-20 units not accepted
2	20.0	7-12 units not accepted
1	10.0	4-6 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	1-3 units not accepted
7	70.0	All units accepted

		ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
6	60.0	Part-time students (fewer than 12 units)
4	40.0	Full-time students (12 units or more)

		CLASSIFICATION AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
1	12.5	Freshmen
1	12.5	Sophomores
2	25.0	Juniors
3	37.5	Seniors
1	12.5	Graduate students

Number	Avg. Rating	RATING OF OUR COLLEGE--PREPARATION FOR CONTINUED EDUCATION
11	2.40	(5 point scale where 1 = preparation was excellent and 5 = preparation was inadequate; average rating reported)

I. DEMOGRAPHICS OF SURVEY POPULATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Electronics Technology

29		TOTAL RESPONDENTS
Number	Percent	COMPLETION STATUS
4	13.8	Non-returning students
7	24.1	Certificate earners
18	62.1	Degree earners
		ATTENDANCE STATUS DURING LAST SEMESTER ATTENDED
6	22.2	Full-time
21	77.8	Part-time
		GENDER
24	82.8	Male
5	17.2	Female
		ETHNICITY
1	3.4	African American
-0-	-0-	Native American
8	27.6	Asian
2	6.9	Latino
17	58.6	White
-0-	-0-	Other
1	3.4	Unknown
		AGE
-0-	-0-	under 18
1	3.4	18-20
6	20.7	21-24
6	20.7	25-29
12	41.4	30-39
4	13.8	40 & over
		CLASSIFICATION STATUS
28	96.6	Occupational Education
1	3.4	All Others (General Programs)

I. End Notes

CLASSIFICATION STATUS -- Classification status of non-returning students was determined by courses completed during the 1993-94 Academic Year; those students who completed courses classified with a Sam Code of A, B, or C were counted as Occupational Education students, while all other students were classified as General Program students. The classification status of degree and certificate earners was based upon the actual classification of the award granted.

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Electronics Technology

Number	Percent	
		PRIMARY OBJECTIVE FOR ATTENDING OUR COLLEGE
13	44.8	Prepare for job change/advancement in same career
3	10.3	Improve ability to perform at present job
5	17.2	Obtain license/certification or credential
1	3.4	Maintain license/certification or credential
4	13.8	Prepare to transfer to a 4-year college
1	3.4	Improve skills, not for employment purposes
2	6.9	Other
		COMPLETION OF THIS OBJECTIVE/GOAL
18	62.1	Fully completed
8	27.6	Partially completed
3	10.3	Not completed
22	75.9	PLAN TO PURSUE THEIR OBJECTIVE FURTHER AND WHERE
11	37.9	At our college
1	3.4	At another two-year college
10	34.5	At a four-year college/university
7	24.1	In some other way
		EDUCATION REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVE
2	6.9	Selected course(s)
3	10.3	Certificate program
22	75.9	Two-year associate degree program
2	6.9	Other
		PRIMARY REASON FOR NOT RE-ENROLLING AT OUR COLLEGE
17	58.6	Completed associate degree or certificate
-0-	-0-	Completed desired courses
1	3.4	Transferred to another college
2	6.9	Found or seeking employment
1	3.4	Job hours conflict with school
1	3.4	Moved out of area/transportation problems
1	3.4	College was too expensive
-0-	-0-	Availability of courses inadequate
-0-	-0-	Grade problems
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with quality of instruction
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with content of courses
4	13.8	Personal/family reasons not listed above
2	6.9	Other
		UNITS COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
1	3.6	none
-0-	-0-	.5 to 15.5
3	10.7	16 to 29.5
2	7.1	30 to 45.5
2	7.1	46 to 59.5
20	71.4	60 or more
		LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAMINATION
6	20.7	Intended to take license/cert./credential exam at time of enrollment
6	20.7	Took license/cert./credential exam
5	83.3	Passed license/cert./credential exam

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT (CONTINUED)

EVALUATION OF COURSES, SERVICES AND EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE
(5-point scale where 5 = very satisfied and 1 = very disappointed; average ratings reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	SATISFACTION WITH COURSES IN MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY
29	4.24	Quality of instruction
29	4.03	Grading/testing
29	4.17	Instructor Interest
29	4.03	Content of course(s)
28	3.71	Instructional media
29	4.03	Class size
		RATING OF COLLEGE SERVICES
17	3.76	Assessment Center
4	3.50	Child Care Center
17	3.59	Counseling/Advisement
8	4.38	Financial aid
6	3.83	Health Center
15	3.60	Job placement services
17	4.18	Learning Center/Labs
23	4.09	Library services
3	3.67	Services for disabled
6	4.00	Student activities
6	3.33	Transfer Center
6	4.17	Tutoring services
6	3.50	Veteran services
29	4.07	GENERAL SATISFACTION WITH EXPERIENCE AT OUR COLLEGE

Number	Percent	BENEFIT OF COURSES COMPLETED IN TERMS OF CAREER PLANS
2	6.9	Of no benefit
2	6.9	Of indirect benefit
15	51.7	Of long term, direct benefit
10	34.5	Of immediate, direct benefit
		INTERESTED IN TAKING COURSES AT OUR COLLEGE IN FUTURE
19	67.9	Yes
9	32.1	No

II. End Notes

LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAM: those who intended to take the exam -- percent reported is total who intended to take exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who took the exam-- percent reported is total of those who took the exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who passed the exam -- percent reported is those who passed as a proportion of those who took the exam.

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Electronics Technology

Number	Percent	
22	75.9	TOTAL RESPONDENTS WHO WERE EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY
		EMPLOYMENT STATUS AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY
21	72.4	Employed (includes full- and part-time)
1	3.4	Full-time military service
5	17.2	Unemployed (but actively seeking employment)
2	6.9	Not in labor force (and not seeking employment)
20	90.9	WERE EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA
		WERE EMPLOYED IN OCCUPATIONAL FIELD PRIOR TO ENROLLING
10	43.5	Yes
13	56.5	No
		JOB RELATED TO COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
15	71.4	Yes, directly or closely related
6	28.6	No, only remotely related or not related at all
		REASONS WHY OCCUPATIONAL AREA WAS NOT RELATED TO COURSES
3	30.0	Not sufficiently qualified for a job in my field
1	10.0	Preferred to work in another field
1	10.0	Found better paying job in another field
3	30.0	Could not find a job in field of preparation
-0-	-0-	Worked previously in field of preparation, but changed
-0-	-0-	Transferred to a four-year college
2	20.0	Other

A. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD RELATED TO MAJOR*

		EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amount	AVERAGE PAY
13	86.7	Full-time	10	$25960.00	Annual income
2	13.3	Part-time	2	$13.75	Hourly income
			2	21.0	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

8	36.4	Helped to obtain job
8	36.4	Helped performance on present job
5	22.7	Helped advance to present job
1	4.5	None of the above
-0-	-0-	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

4	26.7	Less than six months
5	33.3	Six months to one year
3	20.0	More than one year
3	20.0	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
15	3.80	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

B. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

Number	Percent	EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amt.	AVERAGE PAY
6	100	Full-time	5	$21000.00	Annual income
-0-	-0-	Part-time	-0-	$0.00	Hourly income
			-0-	0.00	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

1	16.7 Helped to obtain job
-0-	-0- Helped performance on present job
1	16.7 Helped advance to present job
4	66.7 None of the above
-0-	-0- Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE--RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

1	16.7 Less than six months
1	16.7 Six months to one year
-0-	-0- More than one year
4	66.7 Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
6	2.50	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR

III. End Notes

* RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED AND UNRELATED TO MAJOR REFERS TO MAJOR/COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY -- percent reported is total employed as a proportion of total respondents.

EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA -- percent reported is total employed in the SMSA as proportion of all respondents who are employed.

IV. COLLEGE/SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AT TIME OF SURVEY: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Electronics Technology

Number	Percent	ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TIME OF SURVEY
5	17.2	Currently attending college or school
24	82.8	Not currently attending college or school

		TRANSFER STATUS
2	40.0	Enrolled at a Los Rios community college
1	20.0	Transferred to other CA community colleges
2	40.0	Transferred to CSU, Sacramento
-0-	-0-	Transferred to CSU, all other campuses
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, Davis
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, all other campuses
-0-	-0-	Transferred to private CA colleges/universities/schools
-0-	-0-	Transferred to out-of-state colleges/universities
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify their institutions

		AMONG THOSE WHO REPORTED THEIR MAJORS,
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Business/Management/Economics
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Social/Behavioral Sciences
2	40.0	Were majoring in Engineering/Architecture
1	20.0	Were majoring in Computer Science/Management Information Systems
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Communications
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Health/Health-Related Professions/Life Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in English/Humanities/Fine Arts
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Math/Physical Sciences
1	20.0	Were majoring in Education/Early Childhood Education
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Public Affairs/Public Management/Govt./Political Science
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Liberal Studies/Interdisciplinary Studies/General Studies
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Environmental Studies/Environmental Resource Management
-0-	-0-	Other majors
1	20.0	Enrolled but did not identify a major field of study

		PROBLEMS TRANSFERRING
4	80.0	No
1	20.0	Yes

PROBLEMS REPORTED WERE RELATED TO:

Number	Percent	
-0-	-0-	Transferring units
-0-	-0-	Transcripts
-0-	-0-	Admissions
-0-	-0-	Other

		UNITS ACCEPTED AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION
-0-	-0-	21 or more units not accepted
-0-	-0-	13-20 units not accepted
2	100	7-12 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	4-6 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	1-3 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	All units accepted

		ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
-0-	-0-	Part-time students (fewer than 12 units)
1	100	Full-time students (12 units or more)

		CLASSIFICATION AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
-0-	-0-	Freshmen
-0-	-0-	Sophomores
1	100	Juniors
-0-	-0-	Seniors
-0-	-0-	Graduate students

Number	Avg. Rating	RATING OF OUR COLLEGE--PREPARATION FOR CONTINUED EDUCATION
3	2.30	(5 point scale where 1 = preparation was excellent and 5 = preparation was inadequate; average rating reported)

I. DEMOGRAPHICS OF SURVEY POPULATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Engineering

20		TOTAL RESPONDENTS
Number	**Percent**	COMPLETION STATUS
20	100	Non-returning students
-0-	-0-	Certificate earners
-0-	-0-	Degree earners
		ATTENDANCE STATUS DURING LAST SEMESTER ATTENDED
5	29.4	Full-time
12	70.6	Part-time
		GENDER
16	80.0	Male
4	20.0	Female
		ETHNICITY
2	10.0	African American
-0-	-0-	Native American
5	25.0	Asian
4	20.0	Latino
8	40.0	White
1	5.0	Other
-0-	-0-	Unknown
		AGE
-0-	-0-	under 18
2	10.0	18-20
6	30.0	21-24
4	20.0	25-29
7	35.0	30-39
1	5.0	40 & over
		CLASSIFICATION STATUS
9	45.0	Occupational Education
11	55.0	All Others (General Programs)

I. End Notes

CLASSIFICATION STATUS – Classification status of non-returning students was determined by courses completed during the 1993-94 Academic Year; those students who completed courses classified with a Sam Code of A, B, or C were counted as Occupational Education students, while all other students were classified as General Program students. The classification status of degree and certificate earners was based upon the actual classification of the award granted.

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Engineering

Number	Percent	PRIMARY OBJECTIVE FOR ATTENDING OUR COLLEGE
3	15.0	Prepare for job change/advancement in same career
3	15.0	Improve ability to perform at present job
3	15.0	Obtain license/certification or credential
1	5.0	Maintain license/certification or credential
10	50.0	Prepare to transfer to a 4-year college
-0-	-0-	Improve skills, not for employment purposes
-0-	-0-	Other
		COMPLETION OF THIS OBJECTIVE/GOAL
10	50.0	Fully completed
9	45.0	Partially completed
1	5.0	Not completed
16	80.0	**PLAN TO PURSUE THEIR OBJECTIVE FURTHER AND WHERE**
3	15.0	At our college
1	5.0	At another two-year college
10	50.0	At a four-year college/university
6	30.0	In some other way
		EDUCATION REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVE
13	65.0	Selected course(s)
2	10.0	Certificate program
5	25.0	Two-year associate degree program
-0-	-0-	Other
		PRIMARY REASON FOR NOT RE-ENROLLING AT OUR COLLEGE
3	15.0	Completed associate degree or certificate
3	15.0	Completed desired courses
5	25.0	Transferred to another college
-0-	-0-	Found or seeking employment
2	10.0	Job hours conflict with school
1	5.0	Moved out of area/transportation problems
1	5.0	College was too expensive
1	5.0	Availability of courses inadequate
-0-	-0-	Grade problems
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with quality of instruction
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with content of courses
2	10.0	Personal/family reasons not listed above
2	10.0	Other
		UNITS COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
1	5.0	none
4	20.0	.5 to 15.5
1	5.0	16 to 29.5
2	10.0	30 to 45.5
4	20.0	46 to 59.5
8	40.0	60 or more
		LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAMINATION
5	25.0	Intended to take license/cert./credential exam at time of enrollment
2	10.0	Took license/cert./credential exam
1	50.0	Passed license/cert./credential exam

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT (CONTINUED)

EVALUATION OF COURSES, SERVICES AND EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE
(5-point scale where 5 = very satisfied and 1 = very disappointed; average ratings reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	SATISFACTION WITH COURSES IN MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY
20	4.35	Quality of instruction
20	3.90	Grading/testing
20	4.35	Instructor Interest
20	4.10	Content of course(s)
20	3.45	Instructional media
20	3.70	Class size
		RATING OF COLLEGE SERVICES
7	4.00	Assessment Center
-0-	0.00	Child Care Center
15	3.80	Counseling/Advisement
5	3.20	Financial aid
4	4.00	Health Center
4	3.50	Job placement services
9	3.89	Learning Center/Labs
14	3.86	Library services
1	5.00	Services for disabled
2	3.00	Student activities
7	3.57	Transfer Center
8	3.63	Tutoring services
3	2.67	Veteran services
20	4.05	GENERAL SATISFACTION WITH EXPERIENCE AT OUR COLLEGE

Number	Percent	BENEFIT OF COURSES COMPLETED IN TERMS OF CAREER PLANS
-0-	-0-	Of no benefit
5	26.3	Of indirect benefit
7	36.8	Of long term, direct benefit
7	36.8	Of immediate, direct benefit
		INTERESTED IN TAKING COURSES AT OUR COLLEGE IN FUTURE
13	65.0	Yes
7	35.0	No

II. End Notes

LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAM: those who intended to take the exam -- percent reported is total who intended to take exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who took the exam-- percent reported is total of those who took the exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who passed the exam -- percent reported is those who passed as a proportion of those who took the exam.

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Engineering

Number	Percent	
14	70.0	TOTAL RESPONDENTS WHO WERE EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY
		EMPLOYMENT STATUS AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY
14	70.0	Employed (includes full- and part-time)
-0-	-0-	Full-time military service
2	10.0	Unemployed (but actively seeking employment)
4	20.0	Not in labor force (and not seeking employment)
13	92.9	WERE EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA
		WERE EMPLOYED IN OCCUPATIONAL FIELD PRIOR TO ENROLLING
6	66.7	Yes
3	33.3	No
		JOB RELATED TO COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
6	60.0	Yes, directly or closely related
4	40.0	No, only remotely related or not related at all
		REASONS WHY OCCUPATIONAL AREA WAS NOT RELATED TO COURSES
1	25.0	Not sufficiently qualified for a job in my field
2	50.0	Preferred to work in another field
-0-	-0-	Found better paying job in another field
-0-	-0-	Could not find a job in field of preparation
-0-	-0-	Worked previously in field of preparation, but changed
-0-	-0-	Transferred to a four-year college
1	25.0	Other

A. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD RELATED TO MAJOR*

		EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amount	AVERAGE PAY
6	100	Full-time	5	$37400.00	Annual income
-0-	-0-	Part-time	-0-	$0.00	Hourly income
			-0-	0.00	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

2	25.0	Helped to obtain job
4	50.0	Helped performance on present job
1	12.5	Helped advance to present job
1	12.5	None of the above
-0-	-0-	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

2	40.0	Less than six months
1	20.0	Six months to one year
-0-	-0-	More than one year
2	40.0	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
6	3.67	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

B. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

Number	Percent	EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amt.	AVERAGE PAY
2	50.0	Full-time	1	$23500.00	Annual income
2	50.0	Part-time	2	$266.14	Hourly income
			2	17.5	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

2	50.0	Helped to obtain job
2	50.0	Helped performance on present job
-0-	-0-	Helped advance to present job
-0-	-0-	None of the above
-0-	-0-	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE--RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

-0-	-0-	Less than six months
-0-	-0-	Six months to one year
1	25.0	More than one year
3	75.0	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
4	3.25	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR

III. End Notes

* RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED AND UNRELATED TO MAJOR REFERS TO MAJOR/COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY -- percent reported is total employed as a proportion of total respondents.

EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA -- percent reported is total employed in the SMSA as proportion of all respondents who are employed.

IV. COLLEGE/SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AT TIME OF SURVEY: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Engineering

Number	Percent	ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TIME OF SURVEY
10	50.0	Currently attending college or school
10	50.0	Not currently attending college or school

		TRANSFER STATUS
-0-	-0-	Enrolled at a Los Rios community college
1	12.5	Transferred to other CA community colleges
3	37.5	Transferred to CSU, Sacramento
2	25.0	Transferred to CSU, all other campuses
1	12.5	Transferred to UC, Davis
1	12.5	Transferred to UC, all other campuses
-0-	-0-	Transferred to private CA colleges/universities/schools
-0-	-0-	Transferred to out-of-state colleges/universities
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify their institutions

		AMONG THOSE WHO REPORTED THEIR MAJORS,
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Business/Management/Economics
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Social/Behavioral Sciences
5	62.5	Were majoring in Engineering/Architecture
2	25.0	Were majoring in Computer Science/Management Information Systems
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Communications
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Health/Health-Related Professions/Life Sciences
1	12.5	Were majoring in English/Humanities/Fine Arts
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Math/Physical Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Education/Early Childhood Education
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Public Affairs/Public Management/Govt./Political Science
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Liberal Studies/Interdisciplinary Studies/General Studies
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Environmental Studies/Environmental Resource Management
-0-	-0-	Other majors
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify a major field of study

		PROBLEMS TRANSFERRING
7	87.5	No
1	12.5	Yes

PROBLEMS REPORTED WERE RELATED TO:

Number	Percent	
-0-	-0-	Transferring units
-0-	-0-	Transcripts
-0-	-0-	Admissions
-0-	-0-	Other

		UNITS ACCEPTED AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION
-0-	-0-	21 or more units not accepted
3	42.9	13-20 units not accepted
1	14.3	7-12 units not accepted
1	14.3	4-6 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	1-3 units not accepted
2	28.6	All units accepted

		ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
1	12.5	Part-time students (fewer than 12 units)
7	87.5	Full-time students (12 units or more)

		CLASSIFICATION AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
-0-	-0-	Freshmen
1	12.5	Sophomores
4	50.0	Juniors
3	37.5	Seniors
-0-	-0-	Graduate students

Number	Avg. Rating	RATING OF OUR COLLEGE--PREPARATION FOR CONTINUED EDUCATION
8	1.40	(5 point scale where 1 = preparation was excellent and 5 = preparation was inadequate; average rating reported)

I. DEMOGRAPHICS OF SURVEY POPULATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Fire Technology

31		TOTAL RESPONDENTS
Number	**Percent**	COMPLETION STATUS
15	48.4	Non-returning students
4	12.9	Certificate earners
12	38.7	Degree earners
		ATTENDANCE STATUS DURING LAST SEMESTER ATTENDED
1	3.2	Full-time
30	96.8	Part-time
		GENDER
26	83.9	Male
5	16.1	Female
		ETHNICITY
-0-	-0-	African American
1	3.2	Native American
2	6.5	Asian
1	3.2	Latino
26	83.9	White
1	3.2	Other
-0-	-0-	Unknown
		AGE
-0-	-0-	under 18
1	3.2	18-20
3	9.7	21-24
6	19.4	25-29
13	41.9	30-39
8	25.8	40 & over
		CLASSIFICATION STATUS
30	96.8	Occupational Education
1	3.2	All Others (General Programs)

I. End Notes

CLASSIFICATION STATUS -- Classification status of non-returning students was determined by courses completed during the 1993-94 Academic Year; those students who completed courses classified with a Sam Code of A, B, or C were counted as Occupational Education students, while all other students were classified as General Program students. The classification status of degree and certificate earners was based upon the actual classification of the award granted.

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Fire Technology

Number	Percent	
		PRIMARY OBJECTIVE FOR ATTENDING OUR COLLEGE
8	25.8	Prepare for job change/advancement in same career
6	19.4	Improve ability to perform at present job
10	32.3	Obtain license/certification or credential
2	6.5	Maintain license/certification or credential
4	12.9	Prepare to transfer to a 4-year college
-0-	-0-	Improve skills, not for employment purposes
1	3.2	Other
		COMPLETION OF THIS OBJECTIVE/GOAL
18	60.0	Fully completed
10	33.3	Partially completed
2	6.7	Not completed
17	54.8	PLAN TO PURSUE THEIR OBJECTIVE FURTHER AND WHERE
8	25.8	At our college
-0-	-0-	At another two-year college
6	19.4	At a four-year college/university
17	54.8	In some other way
		EDUCATION REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVE
6	20.0	Selected course(s)
8	26.7	Certificate program
15	50.0	Two-year associate degree program
1	3.3	Other
		PRIMARY REASON FOR NOT RE-ENROLLING AT OUR COLLEGE
13	44.8	Completed associate degree or certificate
3	10.3	Completed desired courses
2	6.9	Transferred to another college
-0-	-0-	Found or seeking employment
1	3.4	Job hours conflict with school
-0-	-0-	Moved out of area/transportation problems
-0-	-0-	College was too expensive
1	3.4	Availability of courses inadequate
-0-	-0-	Grade problems
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with quality of instruction
1	3.4	Dissatisfied with content of courses
2	6.9	Personal/family reasons not listed above
6	20.7	Other
		UNITS COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
-0-	-0-	none
9	30.0	.5 to 15.5
4	13.3	16 to 29.5
6	20.0	30 to 45.5
3	10.0	46 to 59.5
8	26.7	60 or more
		LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAMINATION
12	38.7	Intended to take license/cert./credential exam at time of enrollment
14	45.2	Took license/cert./credential exam
14	100	Passed license/cert./credential exam

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT (CONTINUED)

EVALUATION OF COURSES, SERVICES AND EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE
(5-point scale where 5 = very satisfied and 1 = very disappointed; average ratings reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	SATISFACTION WITH COURSES IN MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY
29	3.79	Quality of instruction
29	3.55	Grading/testing
29	3.90	Instructor Interest
29	3.69	Content of course(s)
29	3.48	Instructional media
29	3.45	Class size
		RATING OF COLLEGE SERVICES
7	3.86	Assessment Center
1	4.00	Child Care Center
17	3.29	Counseling/Advisement
2	3.00	Financial aid
2	3.00	Health Center
2	3.00	Job placement services
4	3.25	Learning Center/Labs
13	3.62	Library services
1	3.00	Services for disabled
1	3.00	Student activities
1	3.00	Transfer Center
3	2.67	Tutoring services
1	3.00	Veteran services
30	3.73	GENERAL SATISFACTION WITH EXPERIENCE AT OUR COLLEGE

Number	Percent	BENEFIT OF COURSES COMPLETED IN TERMS OF CAREER PLANS
-0-	-0-	Of no benefit
5	16.7	Of indirect benefit
15	50.0	Of long term, direct benefit
10	33.3	Of immediate, direct benefit
		INTERESTED IN TAKING COURSES AT OUR COLLEGE IN FUTURE
19	63.3	Yes
11	36.7	No

II. End Notes

LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAM: those who intended to take the exam -- percent reported is total who intended to take exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who took the exam-- percent reported is total of those who took the exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who passed the exam -- percent reported is those who passed as a proportion of those who took the exam.

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Fire Technology

Number	Percent	
30	96.8	TOTAL RESPONDENTS WHO WERE EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY
		EMPLOYMENT STATUS AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY
30	100	Employed (includes full- and part-time)
-0-	-0-	Full-time military service
-0-	-0-	Unemployed (but actively seeking employment)
-0-	-0-	Not in labor force (and not seeking employment)
21	70.0	WERE EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA
		WERE EMPLOYED IN OCCUPATIONAL FIELD PRIOR TO ENROLLING
22	84.6	Yes
4	15.4	No
		JOB RELATED TO COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
24	92.3	Yes, directly or closely related
2	7.7	No, only remotely related or not related at all
		REASONS WHY OCCUPATIONAL AREA WAS NOT RELATED TO COURSES
-0-	-0-	Not sufficiently qualified for a job in my field
1	33.3	Preferred to work in another field
-0-	-0-	Found better paying job in another field
1	33.3	Could not find a job in field of preparation
-0-	-0-	Worked previously in field of preparation, but changed
1	33.3	Transferred to a four-year college
-0-	-0-	Other

A. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD RELATED TO MAJOR*

		EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amount	AVERAGE PAY
23	95.8	Full-time	22	$45090.91	Annual income
1	4.2	Part-time	1	$5.41	Hourly income
			1	56.0	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

6	17.6	Helped to obtain job
19	55.9	Helped performance on present job
8	23.5	Helped advance to present job
1	2.9	None of the above
-0-	-0-	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

2	8.7	Less than six months
1	4.3	Six months to one year
-0-	-0-	More than one year
20	87.0	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
24	3.71	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

B. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

Number	Percent	EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amt.	AVERAGE PAY
2	100	Full-time	1	$15000.00	Annual income
-0-	-0-	Part-time	-0-	$0.00	Hourly income
			-0-	0.00	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

-0-	-0-	Helped to obtain job
1	50.0	Helped performance on present job
-0-	-0-	Helped advance to present job
1	50.0	None of the above
-0-	-0-	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE--RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

1	50.0	Less than six months
-0-	-0-	Six months to one year
-0-	-0-	More than one year
1	50.0	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
2	3.50	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR

III. End Notes

* RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED AND UNRELATED TO MAJOR REFERS TO MAJOR/COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY -- percent reported is total employed as a proportion of total respondents.

EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA -- percent reported is total employed in the SMSA as proportion of all respondents who are employed.

IV. COLLEGE/SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AT TIME OF SURVEY: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Fire Technology

Number	Percent	ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TIME OF SURVEY
9	30.0	Currently attending college or school
21	70.0	Not currently attending college or school
		TRANSFER STATUS
2	22.2	Enrolled at a Los Rios community college
6	66.7	Transferred to other CA community colleges
-0-	-0-	Transferred to CSU, Sacramento
-0-	-0-	Transferred to CSU, all other campuses
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, Davis
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, all other campuses
-0-	-0-	Transferred to private CA colleges/universities/schools
1	11.1	Transferred to out-of-state colleges/universities
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify their institutions
		AMONG THOSE WHO REPORTED THEIR MAJORS,
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Business/Management/Economics
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Social/Behavioral Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Engineering/Architecture
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Computer Science/Management Information Systems
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Communications
2	22.2	Were majoring in Health/Health-Related Professions/Life Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in English/Humanities/Fine Arts
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Math/Physical Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Education/Early Childhood Education
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Public Affairs/Public Management/Govt./Political Science
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Liberal Studies/Interdisciplinary Studies/General Studies
2	22.2	Were majoring in Environmental Studies/Environmental Resource Management
5	55.6	Other majors
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify a major field of study
		PROBLEMS TRANSFERRING
7	100	No
-0-	-0-	Yes

PROBLEMS REPORTED WERE RELATED TO:

Number	Percent	
-0-	-0-	Transferring units
-0-	-0-	Transcripts
-0-	-0-	Admissions
-0-	-0-	Other

		UNITS ACCEPTED AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION
-0-	-0-	21 or more units not accepted
-0-	-0-	13-20 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	7-12 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	4-6 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	1-3 units not accepted
7	100	All units accepted
		ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
3	100	Part-time students (fewer than 12 units)
-0-	-0-	Full-time students (12 units or more)
		CLASSIFICATION AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
-0-	-0-	Freshmen
-0-	-0-	Sophomores
1	50.0	Juniors
-0-	-0-	Seniors
1	50.0	Graduate students

Number	Avg. Rating	RATING OF OUR COLLEGE--PREPARATION FOR CONTINUED EDUCATION
8	1.80	(5 point scale where 1 = preparation was excellent and 5 = preparation was inadequate; average rating reported)

I. DEMOGRAPHICS OF SURVEY POPULATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Horticulture

10		TOTAL RESPONDENTS
Number	Percent	COMPLETION STATUS
5	50.0	Non-returning students
5	50.0	Certificate earners
-0-	-0-	Degree earners
		ATTENDANCE STATUS DURING LAST SEMESTER ATTENDED
-0-	-0-	Full-time
7	100	Part-time
		GENDER
1	10.0	Male
9	90.0	Female
		ETHNICITY
-0-	-0-	African American
-0-	-0-	Native American
1	10.0	Asian
1	10.0	Latino
8	80.0	White
-0-	-0-	Other
-0-	-0-	Unknown
		AGE
-0-	-0-	under 18
-0-	-0-	18-20
1	10.0	21-24
1	10.0	25-29
3	30.0	30-39
5	50.0	40 & over
		CLASSIFICATION STATUS
9	90.0	Occupational Education
1	10.0	All Others (General Programs)

I. End Notes

CLASSIFICATION STATUS -- Classification status of non-returning students was determined by courses completed during the 1993-94 Academic Year; those students who completed courses classified with a Sam Code of A, B, or C were counted as Occupational Education students, while all other students were classified as General Program students. The classification status of degree and certificate earners was based upon the actual classification of the award granted.

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Horticulture

Number	Percent	
		PRIMARY OBJECTIVE FOR ATTENDING OUR COLLEGE
3	30.0	Prepare for job change/advancement in same career
1	10.0	Improve ability to perform at present job
5	50.0	Obtain license/certification or credential
-0-	-0-	Maintain license/certification or credential
-0-	-0-	Prepare to transfer to a 4-year college
1	10.0	Improve skills, not for employment purposes
-0-	-0-	Other
		COMPLETION OF THIS OBJECTIVE/GOAL
3	30.0	Fully completed
5	50.0	Partially completed
2	20.0	Not completed
7	70.0	PLAN TO PURSUE THEIR OBJECTIVE FURTHER AND WHERE
4	40.0	At our college
1	10.0	At another two-year college
1	10.0	At a four-year college/university
4	40.0	In some other way
		EDUCATION REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVE
2	20.0	Selected course(s)
4	40.0	Certificate program
4	40.0	Two-year associate degree program
-0-	-0-	Other
		PRIMARY REASON FOR NOT RE-ENROLLING AT OUR COLLEGE
3	33.3	Completed associate degree or certificate
-0-	-0-	Completed desired courses
-0-	-0-	Transferred to another college
-0-	-0-	Found or seeking employment
1	11.1	Job hours conflict with school
1	11.1	Moved out of area/transportation problems
-0-	-0-	College was too expensive
1	11.1	Availability of courses inadequate
-0-	-0-	Grade problems
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with quality of instruction
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with content of courses
1	11.1	Personal/family reasons not listed above
2	22.2	Other
		UNITS COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
1	11.1	none
1	11.1	.5 to 15.5
-0-	-0-	16 to 29.5
1	11.1	30 to 45.5
1	11.1	46 to 59.5
5	55.6	60 or more
		LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAMINATION
3	30.0	Intended to take license/cert./credential exam at time of enrollment
3	30.0	Took license/cert./credential exam
2	66.7	Passed license/cert./credential exam

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT (CONTINUED)

EVALUATION OF COURSES, SERVICES AND EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE
(5-point scale where 5 = very satisfied and 1 = very disappointed; average ratings reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	SATISFACTION WITH COURSES IN MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY
8	4.00	Quality of instruction
8	4.00	Grading/testing
8	4.25	Instructor interest
8	4.25	Content of course(s)
8	3.88	Instructional media
8	3.88	Class size

		RATING OF COLLEGE SERVICES
2	3.50	Assessment Center
-0-	0.00	Child Care Center
6	3.67	Counseling/Advisement
2	4.00	Financial aid
-0-	0.00	Health Center
2	3.50	Job placement services
1	4.00	Learning Center/Labs
5	4.20	Library services
-0-	0.00	Services for disabled
-0-	0.00	Student activities
1	4.00	Transfer Center
-0-	0.00	Tutoring services
1	3.00	Veteran services

9	4.56	GENERAL SATISFACTION WITH EXPERIENCE AT OUR COLLEGE

Number	Percent	BENEFIT OF COURSES COMPLETED IN TERMS OF CAREER PLANS
-0-	-0-	Of no benefit
2	22.2	Of indirect benefit
5	55.6	Of long term, direct benefit
2	22.2	Of immediate, direct benefit

		INTERESTED IN TAKING COURSES AT OUR COLLEGE IN FUTURE
8	80.0	Yes
2	20.0	No

II. End Notes

LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAM: those who intended to take the exam -- percent reported is total who intended to take exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who took the exam-- percent reported is total of those who took the exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who passed the exam -- percent reported is those who passed as a proportion of those who took the exam.

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Horticulture

Number	Percent	
7	70.0	TOTAL RESPONDENTS WHO WERE EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY
		EMPLOYMENT STATUS AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY
7	70.0	Employed (includes full- and part-time)
-0-	-0-	Full-time military service
-0-	-0-	Unemployed (but actively seeking employment)
3	30.0	Not in labor force (and not seeking employment)
7	100	WERE EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA
		WERE EMPLOYED IN OCCUPATIONAL FIELD PRIOR TO ENROLLING
5	71.4	Yes
2	28.6	No
		JOB RELATED TO COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
3	42.9	Yes, directly or closely related
4	57.1	No, only remotely related or not related at all
		REASONS WHY OCCUPATIONAL AREA WAS NOT RELATED TO COURSES
-0-	-0-	Not sufficiently qualified for a job in my field
2	40.0	Preferred to work in another field
-0-	-0-	Found better paying job in another field
1	20.0	Could not find a job in field of preparation
-0-	-0-	Worked previously in field of preparation, but changed
-0-	-0-	Transferred to a four-year college
2	40.0	Other

A. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD RELATED TO MAJOR*

		EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amount	AVERAGE PAY
3	100	Full-time	3	$26190.00	Annual income
-0-	-0-	Part-time	-0-	$0.00	Hourly income
			-0-	0.00	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

-0-	-0-	Helped to obtain job
2	66.7	Helped performance on present job
-0-	-0-	Helped advance to present job
-0-	-0-	None of the above
1	33.3	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

-0-	-0-	Less than six months
-0-	-0-	Six months to one year
-0-	-0-	More than one year
2	100	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
3	4.00	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

B. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

Number	Percent	EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amt.	AVERAGE PAY
3	75.0	Full-time	2	$53000.00	Annual income
1	25.0	Part-time	1	$6.00	Hourly income
			1	16.0	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

-0-	-0-	Helped to obtain job
2	66.7	Helped performance on present job
-0-	-0-	Helped advance to present job
-0-	-0-	None of the above
1	33.3	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE--RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

1	50.0	Less than six months
-0-	-0-	Six months to one year
-0-	-0-	More than one year
1	50.0	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
4	4.00	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR

III. End Notes

* RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED AND UNRELATED TO MAJOR REFERS TO MAJOR/COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY -- percent reported is total employed as a proportion of total respondents.

EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA -- percent reported is total employed in the SMSA as proportion of all respondents who are employed.

IV. COLLEGE/SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AT TIME OF SURVEY: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Horticulture

Number	Percent	ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TIME OF SURVEY
4	40.0	Currently attending college or school
6	60.0	Not currently attending college or school

		TRANSFER STATUS
2	50.0	Enrolled at a Los Rios community college
1	25.0	Transferred to other CA community colleges
-0-	-0-	Transferred to CSU, Sacramento
-0-	-0-	Transferred to CSU, all other campuses
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, Davis
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, all other campuses
-0-	-0-	Transferred to private CA colleges/universities/schools
1	25.0	Transferred to out-of-state colleges/universities
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify their institutions

		AMONG THOSE WHO REPORTED THEIR MAJORS,
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Business/Management/Economics
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Social/Behavioral Sciences
1	25.0	Were majoring in Engineering/Architecture
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Computer Science/Management Information Systems
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Communications
2	50.0	Were majoring in Health/Health-Related Professions/Life Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in English/Humanities/Fine Arts
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Math/Physical Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Education/Early Childhood Education
1	25.0	Were majoring in Public Affairs/Public Management/Govt./Political Science
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Liberal Studies/Interdisciplinary Studies/General Studies
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Environmental Studies/Environmental Resource Management
-0-	-0-	Other majors
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify a major field of study

		PROBLEMS TRANSFERRING
2	66.7	No
1	33.3	Yes

PROBLEMS REPORTED WERE RELATED TO:

Number	Percent	
-0-	-0-	Transferring units
-0-	-0-	Transcripts
-0-	-0-	Admissions
-0-	-0-	Other

		UNITS ACCEPTED AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION
-0-	-0-	21 or more units not accepted
-0-	-0-	13-20 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	7-12 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	4-6 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	1-3 units not accepted
1	100	All units accepted

		ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
2	66.7	Part-time students (fewer than 12 units)
1	33.3	Full-time students (12 units or more)

		CLASSIFICATION AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
-0-	-0-	Freshmen
-0-	-0-	Sophomores
-0-	-0-	Juniors
1	50.0	Seniors
1	50.0	Graduate students

Number	Avg. Rating	RATING OF OUR COLLEGE--PREPARATION FOR CONTINUED EDUCATION
4	1.50	(5 point scale where 1 = preparation was excellent and 5 = preparation was inadequate; average rating reported)

I. DEMOGRAPHICS OF SURVEY POPULATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Human Services

36		TOTAL RESPONDENTS
Number	Percent	COMPLETION STATUS
2	5.6	Non-returning students
15	41.7	Certificate earners
19	52.8	Degree earners
		ATTENDANCE STATUS DURING LAST SEMESTER ATTENDED
9	25.0	Full-time
27	75.0	Part-time
		GENDER
7	19.4	Male
29	80.6	Female
		ETHNICITY
3	8.3	African American
2	5.6	Native American
2	5.6	Asian
1	2.8	Latino
27	75.0	White
1	2.8	Other
-0-	-0-	Unknown
		AGE
-0-	-0-	under 18
-0-	-0-	18-20
5	13.9	21-24
5	13.9	25-29
12	33.3	30-39
14	38.9	40 & over
		CLASSIFICATION STATUS
34	94.4	Occupational Education
2	5.6	All Others (General Programs)

I. End Notes

CLASSIFICATION STATUS -- Classification status of non-returning students was determined by courses completed during the 1993-94 Academic Year; those students who completed courses classified with a Sam Code of A, B, or C were counted as Occupational Education students, while all other students were classified as General Program students. The classification status of degree and certificate earners was based upon the actual classification of the award granted.

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Human Services

Number	Percent	
		PRIMARY OBJECTIVE FOR ATTENDING OUR COLLEGE
5	14.3	Prepare for job change/advancement in same career
-0-	-0-	Improve ability to perform at present job
12	34.3	Obtain license/certification or credential
-0-	-0-	Maintain license/certification or credential
14	40.0	Prepare to transfer to a 4-year college
-0-	-0-	Improve skills, not for employment purposes
4	11.4	Other
		COMPLETION OF THIS OBJECTIVE/GOAL
19	52.8	Fully completed
14	38.9	Partially completed
3	8.3	Not completed
32	88.9	PLAN TO PURSUE THEIR OBJECTIVE FURTHER AND WHERE
8	22.2	At our college
2	5.6	At another two-year college
17	47.2	At a four-year college/university
9	25.0	In some other way
		EDUCATION REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVE
4	11.1	Selected course(s)
7	19.4	Certificate program
22	61.1	Two-year associate degree program
3	8.3	Other
		PRIMARY REASON FOR NOT RE-ENROLLING AT OUR COLLEGE
14	40.0	Completed associate degree or certificate
1	2.9	Completed desired courses
5	14.3	Transferred to another college
2	5.7	Found or seeking employment
2	5.7	Job hours conflict with school
1	2.9	Moved out of area/transportation problems
3	8.6	College was too expensive
-0-	-0-	Availability of courses inadequate
-0-	-0-	Grade problems
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with quality of instruction
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with content of courses
1	2.9	Personal/family reasons not listed above
6	17.1	Other
		UNITS COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
1	2.8	none
1	2.8	.5 to 15.5
2	5.6	16 to 29.5
6	16.7	30 to 45.5
3	8.3	46 to 59.5
23	63.9	60 or more
		LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAMINATION
7	19.4	Intended to take license/cert./credential exam at time of enrollment
4	11.1	Took license/cert./credential exam
4	100	Passed license/cert./credential exam

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT (CONTINUED)

EVALUATION OF COURSES, SERVICES AND EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE
(5-point scale where 5 = very satisfied and 1 = very disappointed; average ratings reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	SATISFACTION WITH COURSES IN MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY
36	4.67	Quality of instruction
36	4.31	Grading/testing
36	4.72	Instructor Interest
36	4.44	Content of course(s)
36	3.94	Instructional media
36	3.75	Class size
		RATING OF COLLEGE SERVICES
19	3.89	Assessment Center
4	4.00	Child Care Center
33	3.61	Counseling/Advisement
23	4.26	Financial aid
16	4.06	Health Center
8	3.13	Job placement services
19	4.00	Learning Center/Labs
28	3.71	Library services
12	3.92	Services for disabled
12	2.92	Student activities
15	3.40	Transfer Center
8	3.38	Tutoring services
2	4.50	Veteran services
36	4.36	GENERAL SATISFACTION WITH EXPERIENCE AT OUR COLLEGE

Number	Percent	BENEFIT OF COURSES COMPLETED IN TERMS OF CAREER PLANS
2	5.6	Of no benefit
5	13.9	Of indirect benefit
18	50.0	Of long term, direct benefit
11	30.6	Of immediate, direct benefit
		INTERESTED IN TAKING COURSES AT OUR COLLEGE IN FUTURE
25	71.4	Yes
10	28.6	No

II. End Notes

LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAM: those who intended to take the exam -- percent reported is total who intended to take exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who took the exam-- percent reported is total of those who took the exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who passed the exam -- percent reported is those who passed as a proportion of those who took the exam.

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Human Services

Number	Percent	
22	61.1	TOTAL RESPONDENTS WHO WERE EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY
		EMPLOYMENT STATUS AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY
22	61.1	Employed (includes full- and part-time)
-0-	-0-	Full-time military service
4	11.1	Unemployed (but actively seeking employment)
10	27.8	Not in labor force (and not seeking employment)
22	100	WERE EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA
		WERE EMPLOYED IN OCCUPATIONAL FIELD PRIOR TO ENROLLING
6	26.1	Yes
17	73.9	No
		JOB RELATED TO COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
12	57.1	Yes, directly or closely related
9	42.9	No, only remotely related or not related at all
		REASONS WHY OCCUPATIONAL AREA WAS NOT RELATED TO COURSES
4	26.7	Not sufficiently qualified for a job in my field
3	20.0	Preferred to work in another field
4	26.7	Found better paying job in another field
3	20.0	Could not find a job in field of preparation
-0-	-0-	Worked previously in field of preparation, but changed
1	6.7	Transferred to a four-year college
-0-	-0-	Other

A. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD RELATED TO MAJOR*

		EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amount	AVERAGE PAY
7	58.3	Full-time	6	$18388.33	Annual income
5	41.7	Part-time	5	$8.22	Hourly income
			5	27.0	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

10	55.6	Helped to obtain job
5	27.8	Helped performance on present job
2	11.1	Helped advance to present job
1	5.6	None of the above
-0-	-0-	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

6	50.0	Less than six months
-0-	-0-	Six months to one year
1	8.3	More than one year
5	41.7	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
11	4.18	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

B. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

Number	Percent	EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amt.	AVERAGE PAY
5	55.6	Full-time	4	$21050.00	Annual income
4	44.4	Part-time	4	$7.65	Hourly income
			4	21.8	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

2	20.0	Helped to obtain job
4	40.0	Helped performance on present job
-0-	-0-	Helped advance to present job
2	20.0	None of the above
2	20.0	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE--RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

1	11.1	Less than six months
2	22.2	Six months to one year
-0-	-0-	More than one year
6	66.7	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
9	3.56	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR

III. End Notes

* RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED AND UNRELATED TO MAJOR REFERS TO MAJOR/COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY -- percent reported is total employed as a proportion of total respondents.

EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA -- percent reported is total employed in the SMSA as proportion of all respondents who are employed.

IV. COLLEGE/SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AT TIME OF SURVEY: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Human Services

Number	Percent	ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TIME OF SURVEY
20	55.6	Currently attending college or school
16	44.4	Not currently attending college or school

		TRANSFER STATUS
1	6.3	Enrolled at a Los Rios community college
-0-	-0-	Transferred to other CA community colleges
10	62.5	Transferred to CSU, Sacramento
-0-	-0-	Transferred to CSU, all other campuses
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, Davis
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, all other campuses
3	18.8	Transferred to private CA colleges/universities/schools
1	6.3	Transferred to out-of-state colleges/universities
1	6.3	Enrolled but did not identify their institutions

		AMONG THOSE WHO REPORTED THEIR MAJORS,
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Business/Management/Economics
7	43.8	Were majoring in Social/Behavioral Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Engineering/Architecture
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Computer Science/Management Information Systems
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Communications
2	12.5	Were majoring in Health/Health-Related Professions/Life Sciences
2	12.5	Were majoring in English/Humanities/Fine Arts
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Math/Physical Sciences
1	6.3	Were majoring in Education/Early Childhood Education
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Public Affairs/Public Management/Govt./Political Science
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Liberal Studies/Interdisciplinary Studies/General Studies
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Environmental Studies/Environmental Resource Management
1	6.3	Other majors
3	18.8	Enrolled but did not identify a major field of study

		PROBLEMS TRANSFERRING
12	75.0	No
4	25.0	Yes

PROBLEMS REPORTED WERE RELATED TO:

Number	Percent	
1	25.0	Transferring units
-0-	-0-	Transcripts
-0-	-0-	Admissions
-0-	-0-	Other

		UNITS ACCEPTED AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION
2	16.7	21 or more units not accepted
-0-	-0-	13-20 units not accepted
4	33.3	7-12 units not accepted
1	8.3	4-6 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	1-3 units not accepted
5	41.7	All units accepted

		ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
5	41.7	Part-time students (fewer than 12 units)
7	58.3	Full-time students (12 units or more)

		CLASSIFICATION AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
-0-	-0-	Freshmen
1	8.3	Sophomores
7	58.3	Juniors
2	16.7	Seniors
2	16.7	Graduate students

Number	Avg. Rating	RATING OF OUR COLLEGE--PREPARATION FOR CONTINUED EDUCATION
16	2.10	(5 point scale where 1 = preparation was excellent and 5 = preparation was inadequate; average rating reported)

I. DEMOGRAPHICS OF SURVEY POPULATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Interior Design

12		TOTAL RESPONDENTS
Number	Percent	COMPLETION STATUS
3	25.0	Non-returning students
2	16.7	Certificate earners
7	58.3	Degree earners
		ATTENDANCE STATUS DURING LAST SEMESTER ATTENDED
1	9.1	Full-time
10	90.9	Part-time
		GENDER
-0-	-0-	Male
12	100	Female
		ETHNICITY
1	8.3	African American
-0-	-0-	Native American
1	8.3	Asian
2	16.7	Latino
7	58.3	White
1	8.3	Other
-0-	-0-	Unknown
		AGE
-0-	-0-	under 18
1	8.3	18-20
1	8.3	21-24
3	25.0	25-29
5	41.7	30-39
2	16.7	40 & over
		CLASSIFICATION STATUS
12	100	Occupational Education
-0-	-0-	All Others (General Programs)

I. End Notes

CLASSIFICATION STATUS -- Classification status of non-returning students was determined by courses completed during the 1993-94 Academic Year; those students who completed courses classified with a Sam Code of A, B, or C were counted as Occupational Education students, while all other students were classified as General Program students. The classification status of degree and certificate earners was based upon the actual classification of the award granted.

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Interior Design

Number	Percent	PRIMARY OBJECTIVE FOR ATTENDING OUR COLLEGE
6	50.0	Prepare for job change/advancement in same career
-0-	-0-	Improve ability to perform at present job
3	25.0	Obtain license/certification or credential
-0-	-0-	Maintain license/certification or credential
2	16.7	Prepare to transfer to a 4-year college
-0-	-0-	Improve skills, not for employment purposes
1	8.3	Other
		COMPLETION OF THIS OBJECTIVE/GOAL
7	58.3	Fully completed
4	33.3	Partially completed
1	8.3	Not completed
7	58.3	**PLAN TO PURSUE THEIR OBJECTIVE FURTHER AND WHERE**
3	25.0	At our college
2	16.7	At another two-year college
1	8.3	At a four-year college/university
6	50.0	In some other way
		EDUCATION REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVE
2	16.7	Selected course(s)
3	25.0	Certificate program
6	50.0	Two-year associate degree program
1	8.3	Other
		PRIMARY REASON FOR NOT RE-ENROLLING AT OUR COLLEGE
8	66.7	Completed associate degree or certificate
2	16.7	Completed desired courses
1	8.3	Transferred to another college
-0-	-0-	Found or seeking employment
-0-	-0-	Job hours conflict with school
-0-	-0-	Moved out of area/transportation problems
-0-	-0-	College was too expensive
-0-	-0-	Availability of courses inadequate
-0-	-0-	Grade problems
1	8.3	Dissatisfied with quality of instruction
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with content of courses
-0-	-0-	Personal/family reasons not listed above
-0-	-0-	Other
		UNITS COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
-0-	-0-	none
2	16.7	.5 to 15.5
-0-	-0-	16 to 29.5
1	8.3	30 to 45.5
2	16.7	46 to 59.5
7	58.3	60 or more
		LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAMINATION
2	16.7	Intended to take license/cert./credential exam at time of enrollment
1	8.3	Took license/cert./credential exam
1	100	Passed license/cert./credential exam

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT (CONTINUED)

EVALUATION OF COURSES, SERVICES AND EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE
(5-point scale where 5 = very satisfied and 1 = very disappointed; average ratings reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	SATISFACTION WITH COURSES IN MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY
11	4.18	Quality of instruction
11	3.82	Grading/testing
11	4.36	Instructor Interest
11	4.00	Content of course(s)
11	3.64	Instructional media
11	3.82	Class size
		RATING OF COLLEGE SERVICES
6	3.83	Assessment Center
2	4.00	Child Care Center
9	3.44	Counseling/Advisement
5	3.60	Financial aid
2	3.50	Health Center
1	3.00	Job placement services
3	3.67	Learning Center/Labs
10	3.50	Library services
-0-	0.00	Services for disabled
1	4.00	Student activities
3	3.67	Transfer Center
-0-	0.00	Tutoring services
-0-	0.00	Veteran services
12	4.08	GENERAL SATISFACTION WITH EXPERIENCE AT OUR COLLEGE

Number	Percent	BENEFIT OF COURSES COMPLETED IN TERMS OF CAREER PLANS
1	8.3	Of no benefit
3	25.0	Of indirect benefit
3	25.0	Of long term, direct benefit
5	41.7	Of immediate, direct benefit
		INTERESTED IN TAKING COURSES AT OUR COLLEGE IN FUTURE
8	66.7	Yes
4	33.3	No

II. End Notes

LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAM: those who intended to take the exam -- percent reported is total who intended to take exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who took the exam-- percent reported is total of those who took the exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who passed the exam -- percent reported is those who passed as a proportion of those who took the exam.

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Interior Design

Number	Percent	
7	58.3	TOTAL RESPONDENTS WHO WERE EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY
		EMPLOYMENT STATUS AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY
7	58.3	Employed (includes full- and part-time)
-0-	-0-	Full-time military service
2	16.7	Unemployed (but actively seeking employment)
3	25.0	Not in labor force (and not seeking employment)
7	100	WERE EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA
		WERE EMPLOYED IN OCCUPATIONAL FIELD PRIOR TO ENROLLING
2	28.6	Yes
5	71.4	No
		JOB RELATED TO COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
5	71.4	Yes, directly or closely related
2	28.6	No, only remotely related or not related at all
		REASONS WHY OCCUPATIONAL AREA WAS NOT RELATED TO COURSES
-0-	-0-	Not sufficiently qualified for a job in my field
1	25.0	Preferred to work in another field
1	25.0	Found better paying job in another field
1	25.0	Could not find a job in field of preparation
1	25.0	Worked previously in field of preparation, but changed
-0-	-0-	Transferred to a four-year college
-0-	-0-	Other

A. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD RELATED TO MAJOR*

		EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amount	AVERAGE PAY
3	60.0	Full-time	3	$24500.00	Annual income
2	40.0	Part-time	1	$9.50	Hourly income
			2	25.0	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

2	28.6	Helped to obtain job
4	57.1	Helped performance on present job
1	14.3	Helped advance to present job
-0-	-0-	None of the above
-0-	-0-	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

2	40.0	Less than six months
3	60.0	Six months to one year
-0-	-0-	More than one year
-0-	-0-	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
5	4.20	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

B. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

Number	Percent	EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amt.	AVERAGE PAY
1	50.0	Full-time	1	$29000.00	Annual income
1	50.0	Part-time	-0-	$0.00	Hourly income
			1	32.0	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

1	50.0	Helped to obtain job
-0-	-0-	Helped performance on present job
-0-	-0-	Helped advance to present job
1	50.0	None of the above
-0-	-0-	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE--RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

-0-	-0-	Less than six months
1	50.0	Six months to one year
-0-	-0-	More than one year
1	50.0	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
2	3.50	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR

III. End Notes

* RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED AND UNRELATED TO MAJOR REFERS TO MAJOR/COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY -- percent reported is total employed as a proportion of total respondents.

EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA -- percent reported is total employed in the SMSA as proportion of all respondents who are employed.

IV. COLLEGE/SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AT TIME OF SURVEY: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Interior Design

Number	Percent	ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TIME OF SURVEY
2	16.7	Currently attending college or school
10	83.3	Not currently attending college or school

		TRANSFER STATUS
2	50.0	Enrolled at a Los Rios community college
-0-	-0-	Transferred to other CA community colleges
-0-	-0-	Transferred to CSU, Sacramento
1	25.0	Transferred to CSU, all other campuses
1	25.0	Transferred to UC, Davis
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, all other campuses
-0-	-0-	Transferred to private CA colleges/universities/schools
-0-	-0-	Transferred to out-of-state colleges/universities
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify their institutions

		AMONG THOSE WHO REPORTED THEIR MAJORS,
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Business/Management/Economics
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Social/Behavioral Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Engineering/Architecture
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Computer Science/Management Information Systems
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Communications
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Health/Health-Related Professions/Life Sciences
1	25.0	Were majoring in English/Humanities/Fine Arts
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Math/Physical Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Education/Early Childhood Education
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Public Affairs/Public Management/Govt./Political Science
2	50.0	Were majoring in Liberal Studies/Interdisciplinary Studies/General Studies
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Environmental Studies/Environmental Resource Management
1	25.0	Other majors
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify a major field of study

		PROBLEMS TRANSFERRING
3	75.0	No
1	25.0	Yes

PROBLEMS REPORTED WERE RELATED TO:

Number	Percent	
-0-	-0-	Transferring units
-0-	-0-	Transcripts
-0-	-0-	Admissions
-0-	-0-	Other

		UNITS ACCEPTED AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION
1	33.3	21 or more units not accepted
-0-	-0-	13-20 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	7-12 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	4-6 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	1-3 units not accepted
2	66.7	All units accepted

		ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
-0-	-0-	Part-time students (fewer than 12 units)
2	100	Full-time students (12 units or more)

		CLASSIFICATION AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
1	50.0	Freshmen
-0-	-0-	Sophomores
-0-	-0-	Juniors
1	50.0	Seniors
-0-	-0-	Graduate students

Number	Avg. Rating	RATING OF OUR COLLEGE--PREPARATION FOR CONTINUED EDUCATION
3	2.70	(5 point scale where 1 = preparation was excellent and 5 = preparation was inadequate; average rating reported)

I. DEMOGRAPHICS OF SURVEY POPULATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Legal Assisting

33		TOTAL RESPONDENTS
Number	**Percent**	COMPLETION STATUS
9	27.3	Non-returning students
13	39.4	Certificate earners
11	33.3	Degree earners
		ATTENDANCE STATUS DURING LAST SEMESTER ATTENDED
1	3.4	Full-time
28	96.6	Part-time
		GENDER
4	12.1	Male
29	87.9	Female
		ETHNICITY
4	12.1	African American
2	6.1	Native American
3	9.1	Asian
1	3.0	Latino
23	69.7	White
-0-	-0-	Other
-0-	-0-	Unknown
		AGE
-0-	-0-	under 18
1	3.0	18-20
1	3.0	21-24
8	24.2	25-29
15	45.5	30-39
8	24.2	40 & over
		CLASSIFICATION STATUS
29	87.9	Occupational Education
4	12.1	All Others (General Programs)

I. End Notes

CLASSIFICATION STATUS -- Classification status of non-returning students was determined by courses completed during the 1993-94 Academic Year; those students who completed courses classified with a Sam Code of A, B, or C were counted as Occupational Education students, while all other students were classified as General Program students. The classification status of degree and certificate earners was based upon the actual classification of the award granted.

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Legal Assisting

Number	Percent	
		PRIMARY OBJECTIVE FOR ATTENDING OUR COLLEGE
10	30.3	Prepare for job change/advancement in same career
1	3.0	Improve ability to perform at present job
14	42.4	Obtain license/certification or credential
-0-	-0-	Maintain license/certification or credential
6	18.2	Prepare to transfer to a 4-year college
1	3.0	Improve skills, not for employment purposes
1	3.0	Other
		COMPLETION OF THIS OBJECTIVE/GOAL
17	51.5	Fully completed
11	33.3	Partially completed
5	15.2	Not completed
25	75.8	PLAN TO PURSUE THEIR OBJECTIVE FURTHER AND WHERE
12	36.4	At our college
1	3.0	At another two-year college
7	21.2	At a four-year college/university
13	39.4	In some other way
		EDUCATION REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVE
5	15.2	Selected course(s)
15	45.5	Certificate program
11	33.3	Two-year associate degree program
2	6.1	Other
		PRIMARY REASON FOR NOT RE-ENROLLING AT OUR COLLEGE
14	42.4	Completed associate degree or certificate
2	6.1	Completed desired courses
3	9.1	Transferred to another college
-0-	-0-	Found or seeking employment
1	3.0	Job hours conflict with school
-0-	-0-	Moved out of area/transportation problems
2	6.1	College was too expensive
1	3.0	Availability of courses inadequate
-0-	-0-	Grade problems
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with quality of instruction
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with content of courses
6	18.2	Personal/family reasons not listed above
4	12.1	Other
		UNITS COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
-0-	-0-	none
3	9.4	.5 to 15.5
8	25.0	16 to 29.5
11	34.4	30 to 45.5
2	6.3	46 to 59.5
8	25.0	60 or more
		LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAMINATION
4	12.1	Intended to take license/cert./credential exam at time of enrollment
5	15.2	Took license/cert./credential exam
3	60.0	Passed license/cert./credential exam

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT (CONTINUED)

EVALUATION OF COURSES, SERVICES AND EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE
(5-point scale where 5 = very satisfied and 1 = very disappointed; average ratings reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	SATISFACTION WITH COURSES IN MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY
31	4.13	Quality of instruction
31	3.84	Grading/testing
32	4.03	Instructor Interest
31	3.94	Content of course(s)
30	3.80	Instructional media
32	3.53	Class size
		RATING OF COLLEGE SERVICES
12	3.92	Assessment Center
4	3.75	Child Care Center
20	3.55	Counseling/Advisement
9	3.78	Financial aid
1	3.00	Health Center
8	2.50	Job placement services
12	3.92	Learning Center/Labs
26	3.69	Library services
1	3.00	Services for disabled
2	3.00	Student activities
3	3.33	Transfer Center
4	4.00	Tutoring services
2	3.50	Veteran services
33	4.15	GENERAL SATISFACTION WITH EXPERIENCE AT OUR COLLEGE

Number	Percent	BENEFIT OF COURSES COMPLETED IN TERMS OF CAREER PLANS
-0-	-0-	Of no benefit
6	18.8	Of indirect benefit
17	53.1	Of long term, direct benefit
9	28.1	Of immediate, direct benefit
		INTERESTED IN TAKING COURSES AT OUR COLLEGE IN FUTURE
24	72.7	Yes
9	27.3	No

II. End Notes

LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAM: those who intended to take the exam -- percent reported is total who intended to take exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who took the exam-- percent reported is total of those who took the exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who passed the exam -- percent reported is those who passed as a proportion of those who took the exam.

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Legal Assisting

Number	Percent	
24	72.7	TOTAL RESPONDENTS WHO WERE EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY
		EMPLOYMENT STATUS AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY
24	72.7	Employed (includes full- and part-time)
-0-	-0-	Full-time military service
3	9.1	Unemployed (but actively seeking employment)
6	18.2	Not in labor force (and not seeking employment)
24	100	WERE EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA
		WERE EMPLOYED IN OCCUPATIONAL FIELD PRIOR TO ENROLLING
11	44.0	Yes
14	56.0	No
		JOB RELATED TO COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
13	52.0	Yes, directly or closely related
12	48.0	No, only remotely related or not related at all
		REASONS WHY OCCUPATIONAL AREA WAS NOT RELATED TO COURSES
2	12.5	Not sufficiently qualified for a job in my field
1	6.3	Preferred to work in another field
3	18.8	Found better paying job in another field
6	37.5	Could not find a job in field of preparation
-0-	-0-	Worked previously in field of preparation, but changed
-0-	-0-	Transferred to a four-year college
4	25.0	Other

A. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD RELATED TO MAJOR*

		EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amount	AVERAGE PAY
12	92.3	Full-time	12	$26920.00	Annual income
1	7.7	Part-time	1	$9.50	Hourly income
			1	36.0	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

4	21.1	Helped to obtain job
10	52.6	Helped performance on present job
4	21.1	Helped advance to present job
-0-	-0-	None of the above
1	5.3	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

-0-	-0-	Less than six months
2	15.4	Six months to one year
2	15.4	More than one year
9	69.2	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
13	4.00	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

B. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

Number	Percent	EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amt.	AVERAGE PAY
8	72.7	Full-time	8	$114836.0	Annual income
				0	
3	27.3	Part-time	3	$7.18	Hourly income
			3	14.3	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

-0-	-0-	Helped to obtain job
3	25.0	Helped performance on present job
-0-	-0-	Helped advance to present job
8	66.7	None of the above
1	8.3	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE--RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

2	16.7	Less than six months
-0-	-0-	Six months to one year
-0-	-0-	More than one year
10	83.3	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
10	3.50	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR

III. End Notes

* RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED AND UNRELATED TO MAJOR REFERS TO MAJOR/COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY -- percent reported is total employed as a proportion of total respondents.

EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA -- percent reported is total employed in the SMSA as proportion of all respondents who are employed.

IV. COLLEGE/SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AT TIME OF SURVEY: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Legal Assisting

Number	Percent	ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TIME OF SURVEY
8	24.2	Currently attending college or school
25	75.8	Not currently attending college or school

		TRANSFER STATUS
3	42.9	Enrolled at a Los Rios community college
-0-	-0-	Transferred to other CA community colleges
3	42.9	Transferred to CSU, Sacramento
-0-	-0-	Transferred to CSU, all other campuses
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, Davis
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, all other campuses
1	14.3	Transfeired to private CA colleges/universities/schools
-0-	-0-	Transferred to out-of-state colleges/universities
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify their institutions

		AMONG THOSE WHO REPORTED THEIR MAJORS,
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Business/Management/Economics
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Social/Behavioral Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Engineering/Architecture
1	14.3	Were majoring in Computer Science/Management Information Systems
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Communications
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Health/Health-Related Professions/Life Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in English/Humanities/Fine Arts
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Math/Physical Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Education/Early Childhood Education
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Public Affairs/Public Management/Govt./Political Science
1	14.3	Were majoring in Liberal Studies/Interdisciplinary Studies/General Studies
1	14.3	Were majoring in Environmental Studies/Environmental Resource Management
2	28.6	Other majors
2	28.6	Enrolled but did not identify a major field of study

		PROBLEMS TRANSFERRING
5	100	No
-0-	-0-	Yes

PROBLEMS REPORTED WERE RELATED TO:

Number	Percent	
-0-	-0-	Transferring units
-0-	-0-	Transcripts
-0-	-0-	Admissions
-0-	-0-	Other

		UNITS ACCEPTED AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION
1	25.0	21 or more units not accepted
1	25.0	13-20 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	7-12 units not accepted
1	25.0	4-6 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	1-3 units not accepted
1	25.0	All units accepted

		ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
2	100	Part-time students (fewer than 12 units)
-0-	-0-	Full-time students (12 units or more)

		CLASSIFICATION AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
-0-	-0-	Freshmen
1	50.0	Sophomores
1	50.0	Juniors
-0-	-0-	Seniors
-0-	-0-	Graduate students

Number	Avg. Rating	RATING OF OUR COLLEGE--PREPARATION FOR CONTINUED EDUCATION
4	1.80	(5 point scale where 1 = preparation was excellent and 5 = preparation was inadequate; average rating reported)

I. DEMOGRAPHICS OF SURVEY POPULATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Management

11		TOTAL RESPONDENTS
Number	Percent	COMPLETION STATUS
2	18.2	Non-returning students
3	27.3	Certificate earners
6	54.5	Degree earners
		ATTENDANCE STATUS DURING LAST SEMESTER ATTENDED
2	18.2	Full-time
9	81.8	Part-time
		GENDER
5	45.5	Male
6	54.5	Female
		ETHNICITY
1	9.1	African American
-0-	-0-	Native American
2	18.2	Asian
-0-	-0-	Latino
6	54.5	White
2	18.2	Other
-0-	-0-	Unknown
		AGE
-0-	-0-	under 18
-0-	-0-	18-20
-0-	-0-	21-24
-0-	-0-	25-29
3	27.3	30-39
8	72.7	40 & over
		CLASSIFICATION STATUS
10	90.9	Occupational Education
1	9.1	All Others (General Programs)

I. End Notes

CLASSIFICATION STATUS -- Classification status of non-returning students was determined by courses completed during the 1993-94 Academic Year; those students who completed courses classified with a Sam Code of A, B, or C were counted as Occupational Education students, while all other students were classified as General Program students. The classification status of degree and certificate earners was based upon the actual classification of the award granted.

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Management

Number	Percent	
		PRIMARY OBJECTIVE FOR ATTENDING OUR COLLEGE
2	18.2	Prepare for job change/advancement in same career
1	9.1	Improve ability to perform at present job
1	9.1	Obtain license/certification or credential
-0-	-0-	Maintain license/certification or credential
5	45.5	Prepare to transfer to a 4-year college
1	9.1	Improve skills, not for employment purposes
1	9.1	Other
		COMPLETION OF THIS OBJECTIVE/GOAL
5	45.5	Fully completed
6	54.5	Partially completed
-0-	-0-	Not completed
8	72.7	PLAN TO PURSUE THEIR OBJECTIVE FURTHER AND WHERE
4	36.4	At our college
-0-	-0-	At another two-year college
4	36.4	At a four-year college/university
3	27.3	In some other way
		EDUCATION REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVE
1	9.1	Selected course(s)
3	27.3	Certificate program
7	63.6	Two-year associate degree program
-0-	-0-	Other
		PRIMARY REASON FOR NOT RE-ENROLLING AT OUR COLLEGE
6	54.5	Completed associate degree or certificate
-0-	-0-	Completed desired courses
1	9.1	Transferred to another college
-0-	-0-	Found or seeking employment
1	9.1	Job hours conflict with school
-0-	-0-	Moved out of area/transportation problems
-0-	-0-	College was too expensive
-0-	-0-	Availability of courses inadequate
-0-	-0-	Grade problems
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with quality of instruction
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with content of courses
1	9.1	Personal/family reasons not listed above
2	18.2	Other
		UNITS COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
-0-	-0-	none
1	9.1	.5 to 15.5
1	9.1	16 to 29.5
1	9.1	30 to 45.5
1	9.1	46 to 59.5
7	63.6	60 or more
		LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAMINATION
-0-	-0-	Intended to take license/cert./credential exam at time of enrollment
-0-	-0-	Took license/cert./credential exam
-0-	-0-	Passed license/cert./credential exam

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT (CONTINUED)

EVALUATION OF COURSES, SERVICES AND EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE
(5-point scale where 5 = very satisfied and 1 = very disappointed; average ratings reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	SATISFACTION WITH COURSES IN MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY
11	4.18	Quality of instruction
11	4.09	Grading/testing
11	4.18	Instructor Interest
11	4.36	Content of course(s)
11	4.00	Instructional media
11	4.00	Class size
		RATING OF COLLEGE SERVICES
6	4.17	Assessment Center
1	5.00	Child Care Center
6	3.67	Counseling/Advisement
2	4.00	Financial aid
-0-	0.00	Health Center
1	3.00	Job placement services
4	4.25	Learning Center/Labs
9	4.11	Library services
-0-	0.00	Services for disabled
1	5.00	Student activities
2	4.50	Transfer Center
2	4.50	Tutoring services
1	4.00	Veteran services
11	4.36	GENERAL SATISFACTION WITH EXPERIENCE AT OUR COLLEGE

Number	Percent	BENEFIT OF COURSES COMPLETED IN TERMS OF CAREER PLANS
-0-	-0-	Of no benefit
1	9.1	Of indirect benefit
6	54.5	Of long term, direct benefit
4	36.4	Of immediate, direct benefit
		INTERESTED IN TAKING COURSES AT OUR COLLEGE IN FUTURE
8	72.7	Yes
3	27.3	No

II. End Notes

LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAM: those who intended to take the exam -- percent reported is total who intended to take exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who took the exam-- percent reported is total of those who took the exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who passed the exam -- percent reported is those who passed as a proportion of those who took the exam.

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Management

Number	Percent	
9	81.8	TOTAL RESPONDENTS WHO WERE EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY
		EMPLOYMENT STATUS AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY
9	81.8	Employed (includes full- and part-time)
-0-	-0-	Full-time military service
1	9.1	Unemployed (but actively seeking employment)
1	9.1	Not in labor force (and not seeking employment)
9	100	WERE EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA
		WERE EMPLOYED IN OCCUPATIONAL FIELD PRIOR TO ENROLLING
7	87.5	Yes
1	12.5	No
		JOB RELATED TO COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
7	87.5	Yes, directly or closely related
1	12.5	No, only remotely related or not related at all
		REASONS WHY OCCUPATIONAL AREA WAS NOT RELATED TO COURSES
-0-	-0-	Not sufficiently qualified for a job in my field
-0-	-0-	Preferred to work in another field
-0-	-0-	Found better paying job in another field
-0-	-0-	Could not find a job in field of preparation
-0-	-0-	Worked previously in field of preparation, but changed
-0-	-0-	Transferred to a four-year college
1	100	Other

A. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD RELATED TO MAJOR*

		EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amount	AVERAGE PAY
6	85.7	Full-time	6	$41000.00	Annual income
1	14.3	Part-time	1	$7.36	Hourly income
			1	15.0	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

-0-	-0-	Helped to obtain job
7	87.5	Helped performance on present job
1	12.5	Helped advance to present job
-0-	-0-	None of the above
-0-	-0-	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

1	14.3	Less than six months
-0-	-0-	Six months to one year
-0-	-0-	More than one year
6	85.7	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
7	4.43	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

B. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

Number	Percent	EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amt.	AVERAGE PAY
1	100	Full-time	-0-	$0.00	Annual income
-0-	-0-	Part-time	-0-	$0.00	Hourly income
			-0-	0.00	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

-0-	-0-	Helped to obtain job
1	100	Helped performance on present job
-0-	-0-	Helped advance to present job
-0-	-0-	None of the above
-0-	-0-	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE--RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

-0-	-0-	Less than six months
-0-	-0-	Six months to one year
-0-	-0-	More than one year
1	100	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
1	4.00	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR

III. End Notes

* RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED AND UNRELATED TO MAJOR REFERS TO MAJOR/COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY -- percent reported is total employed as a proportion of total respondents.

EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA -- percent reported is total employed in the SMSA as proportion of all respondents who are employed.

IV. COLLEGE/SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AT TIME OF SURVEY: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Management

Number	Percent	ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TIME OF SURVEY
5	45.5	Currently attending college or school
6	54.5	Not currently attending college or school

		TRANSFER STATUS
1	33.3	Enrolled at a Los Rios community college
-0-	-0-	Transferred to other CA community colleges
1	33.3	Transferred to CSU, Sacramento
-0-	-0-	Transferred to CSU, all other campuses
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, Davis
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, all other campuses
1	33.3	Transferred to private CA colleges/universities/schools
-0-	-0-	Transferred to out-of-state colleges/universities
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify their institutions

		AMONG THOSE WHO REPORTED THEIR MAJORS,
1	33.3	Were majoring in Business/Management/Economics
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Social/Behavioral Sciences
1	33.3	Were majoring in Engineering/Architecture
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Computer Science/Management Information Systems
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Communications
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Health/Health-Related Professions/Life Sciences
1	33.3	Were majoring in English/Humanities/Fine Arts
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Math/Physical Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Education/Early Childhood Education
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Public Affairs/Public Management/Govt./Political Science
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Liberal Studies/Interdisciplinary Studies/General Studies
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Environmental Studies/Environmental Resource Management
-0-	-0-	Other majors
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify a major field of study

		PROBLEMS TRANSFERRING
3	100	No
-0-	-0-	Yes

PROBLEMS REPORTED WERE RELATED TO:

Number	Percent	
-0-	-0-	Transferring units
-0-	-0-	Transcripts
-0-	-0-	Admissions
-0-	-0-	Other

		UNITS ACCEPTED AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION
-0-	-0-	21 or more units not accepted
-0-	-0-	13-20 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	7-12 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	4-6 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	1-3 units not accepted
2	100	All units accepted

		ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
2	66.7	Part-time students (fewer than 12 units)
1	33.3	Full-time students (12 units or more)

		CLASSIFICATION AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
-0-	-0-	Freshmen
1	33.3	Sophomores
1	33.3	Juniors
1	33.3	Seniors
-0-	-0-	Graduate students

Number	Avg. Rating	RATING OF OUR COLLEGE--PREPARATION FOR CONTINUED EDUCATION
3	2.00	(5 point scale where 1 = preparation was excellent and 5 = preparation was inadequate; average rating reported)

I. DEMOGRAPHICS OF SURVEY POPULATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Nursing

Number	Percent	
56		TOTAL RESPONDENTS
Number	Percent	COMPLETION STATUS
12	21.4	Non-returning students
-0-	-0-	Certificate earners
44	78.6	Degree earners
		ATTENDANCE STATUS DURING LAST SEMESTER ATTENDED
4	7.5	Full-time
49	92.5	Part-time
		GENDER
6	10.7	Male
50	89.3	Female
		ETHNICITY
2	3.6	African American
3	5.4	Native American
4	7.1	Asian
1	1.8	Latino
46	82.1	White
-0-	-0-	Other
-0-	-0-	Unknown
		AGE
-0-	-0-	under 18
1	1.8	18-20
3	5.4	21-24
5	8.9	25-29
33	58.9	30-39
14	25.0	40 & over
		CLASSIFICATION STATUS
47	83.9	Occupational Education
9	16.1	All Others (General Programs)

I. End Notes

CLASSIFICATION STATUS – Classification status of non-returning students was determined by courses completed during the 1993-94 Academic Year; those students who completed courses classified with a Se) Code of A, B, or C were counted as Occupational Education students, while all other students were classified as General Program students. The classification status of degree and certificate earners was based upon the actual classification of the award granted.

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Nursing

Number	Percent	
		PRIMARY OBJECTIVE FOR ATTENDING OUR COLLEGE
17	30.4	Prepare for job change/advancement in same career
-0-	-0-	Improve ability to perform at present job
33	58.9	Obtain license/certification or credential
2	3.6	Maintain license/certification or credential
3	5.4	Prepare to transfer to a 4-year college
-0-	-0-	Improve skills, not for employment purposes
1	1.8	Other
		COMPLETION OF THIS OBJECTIVE/GOAL
43	76.8	Fully completed
8	14.3	Partially completed
5	8.9	Not completed
40	71.4	PLAN TO PURSUE THEIR OBJECTIVE FURTHER AND WHERE
4	7.1	At our college
1	1.8	At another two-year college
29	51.8	At a four-year college/university
22	39.3	In some other way
		EDUCATION REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVE
7	12.5	Selected course(s)
1	1.8	Certificate program
41	73.2	Two-year associate degree program
7	12.5	Other
		PRIMARY REASON FOR NOT RE-ENROLLING AT OUR COLLEGE
34	61.8	Completed associate degree or certificate
2	3.6	Completed desired courses
4	7.3	Transferred to another college
3	5.5	Found or seeking employment
2	3.6	Job hours conflict with school
1	1.8	Moved out of area/transportation problems
2	3.6	College was too expensive
-0-	-0-	Availability of courses inadequate
-0-	-0-	Grade problems
1	1.8	Dissatisfied with quality of instruction
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with content of courses
4	7.3	Personal/family reasons not listed above
2	3.6	Other
		UNITS COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
1	1.8	none
3	5.4	.5 to 15.5
6	10.7	16 to 29.5
4	7.1	30 to 45.5
7	12.5	46 to 59.5
35	62.5	60 or more
		LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAMINATION
39	69.6	Intended to take license/cert./credential exam at time of enrollment
40	71.4	Took license/cert./credential exam
40	100	Passed license/cert./credential exam

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT (CONTINUED)

EVALUATION OF COURSES, SERVICES AND EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE
(5-point scale where 5 = very satisfied and 1 = very disappointed; average ratings reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	SATISFACTION WITH COURSES IN MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY
56	4.11	Quality of instruction
54	3.87	Grading/testing
54	4.15	Instructor Interest
54	4.20	Content of course(s)
54	3.54	Instructional media
53	3.58	Class size
		RATING OF COLLEGE SERVICES
36	3.94	Assessment Center
7	3.71	Child Care Center
43	3.58	Counseling/Advisement
24	3.54	Financial aid
34	3.79	Health Center
5	2.20	Job placement services
31	3.94	Learning Center/Labs
49	3.90	Library services
2	4.00	Services for disabled
5	3.20	Student activities
9	3.22	Transfer Center
4	4.25	Tutoring services
3	4.00	Veteran services
56	4.20	GENERAL SATISFACTION WITH EXPERIENCE AT OUR COLLEGE

Number	Percent	BENEFIT OF COURSES COMPLETED IN TERMS OF CAREER PLANS
2	3.6	Of no benefit
2	3.6	Of indirect benefit
21	37.5	Of long term, direct benefit
31	55.4	Of immediate, direct benefit
		INTERESTED IN TAKING COURSES AT OUR COLLEGE IN FUTURE
31	56.4	Yes
24	43.6	No

II. End Notes

LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAM: those who intended to take the exam -- percent reported is total who intended to take exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who took the exam-- percent reported is total of those who took the exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who passed the exam -- percent reported is those who passed as a proportion of those who took the exam.

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Nursing

Number	Percent	
50	89.3	TOTAL RESPONDENTS WHO WERE EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY
		EMPLOYMENT STATUS AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY
49	87.5	Employed (includes full- and part-time)
1	1.8	Full-time military service
1	1.8	Unemployed (but actively seeking employment)
5	8.9	Not in labor force (and not seeking employment)
48	96.0	WERE EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA
		WERE EMPLOYED IN OCCUPATIONAL FIELD PRIOR TO ENROLLING
17	37.8	Yes
28	62.2	No
		JOB RELATED TO COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
42	93.3	Yes, directly or closely related
3	6.7	No, only remotely related or not related at all
		REASONS WHY OCCUPATIONAL AREA WAS NOT RELATED TO COURSES
-0-	-0-	Not sufficiently qualified for a job in my field
2	66.7	Preferred to work in another field
-0-	-0-	Found better paying job in another field
1	33.3	Could not find a job in field of preparation
-0-	-0-	Worked previously in field of preparation, but changed
-0-	-0-	Transferred to a four-year college
-0-	-0-	Other

A. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD RELATED TO MAJOR*

		EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amount	AVERAGE PAY
20	47.6	Full-time	17	$36358.82	Annual income
22	52.4	Part-time	20	$17.87	Hourly income
			20	26.8	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

31	48.4	Helped to obtain job
15	23.4	Helped performance on present job
14	21.9	Helped advance to present job
2	3.1	None of the above
2	3.1	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

31	75.6	Less than six months
6	14.6	Six months to one year
-0-	-0-	More than one year
4	9.8	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
41	4.39	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

B. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

Number	Percent	EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amt.	AVERAGE PAY
-0-	-0-	Full-time	-0-	$0.00	Annual income
3	100	Part-time	3	$7.04	Hourly income
			3	29.0	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

-0-	-0-	Helped to obtain job
1	33.3	Helped performance on present job
-0-	-0-	Helped advance to present job
2	66.7	None of the above
-0-	-0-	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE–RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

1	33.3	Less than six months
-0-	-0-	Six months to one year
1	33.3	More than one year
1	33.3	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
3	4.00	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR

III. End Notes

* RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED AND UNRELATED TO MAJOR REFERS TO MAJOR/COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY -- percent reported is total employed as a proportion of total respondents.

EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA -- percent reported is total employed in the SMSA as proportion of all respondents who are employed.

IV. COLLEGE/SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AT TIME OF SURVEY: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Nursing

Number	Percent	ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TIME OF SURVEY
14	25.0	Currently attending college or school
42	75.0	Not currently attending college or school

		TRANSFER STATUS
2	14.3	Enrolled at a Los Rios community college
2	14.3	Transferred to other CA community colleges
4	28.6	Transferred to CSU, Sacramento
2	14.3	Transferred to CSU, all other campuses
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, Davis
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, all other campuses
2	14.3	Transferred to private CA colleges/universities/schools
2	14.3	Transferred to out-of-state colleges/universities
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify their institutions

		AMONG THOSE WHO REPORTED THEIR MAJORS,
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Business/Management/Economics
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Social/Behavioral Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Engineering/Architecture
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Computer Science/Management Information Systems
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Communications
12	85.7	Were majoring in Health/Health-Related Professions/Life Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in English/Humanities/Fine Arts
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Math/Physical Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Education/Early Childhood Education
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Public Affairs/Public Management/Govt./Political Science
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Liberal Studies/Interdisciplinary Studies/General Studies
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Environmental Studies/Environmental Resource Management
-0-	-0-	Other majors
2	14.3	Enrolled but did not identify a major field of study

		PROBLEMS TRANSFERRING
11	100	No
-0-	-0-	Yes

PROBLEMS REPORTED WERE RELATED TO:

Number	Percent	
-0-	-0-	Transferring units
-0-	-0-	Transcripts
-0-	-0-	Admissions
-0-	-0-	Other

		UNITS ACCEPTED AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION
-0-	-0-	21 or more units not accepted
1	9.1	13-20 units not accepted
3	27.3	7-12 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	4-6 units not accepted
2	18.2	1-3 units not accepted
5	45.5	All units accepted

		ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
5	41.7	Part-time students (fewer than 12 units)
7	58.3	Full-time students (12 units or more)

		CLASSIFICATION AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
-0-	-0-	Freshmen
-0-	-0-	Sophomores
3	27.3	Juniors
7	63.6	Seniors
1	9.1	Graduate students

Number	Avg. Rating	RATING OF OUR COLLEGE--PREPARATION FOR CONTINUED EDUCATION
14	1.80	(5 point scale where 1 = preparation was excellent and 5 = preparation was inadequate; average rating reported)

I. DEMOGRAPHICS OF SURVEY POPULATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Office Administration

33		TOTAL RESPONDENTS
Number	Percent	COMPLETION STATUS
27	81.8	Non-returning students
3	9.1	Certificate earners
3	9.1	Degree earners
		ATTENDANCE STATUS DURING LAST SEMESTER ATTENDED
3	10.7	Full-time
25	89.3	Part-time
		GENDER
14	42.4	Male
19	57.6	Female
		ETHNICITY
-0-	-0-	African American
-0-	-0-	Native American
3	9.1	Asian
2	6.1	Latino
27	81.8	White
1	3.0	Other
-0-	-0-	Unknown
		AGE
-0-	-0-	under 18
3	9.1	18-20
5	15.2	21-24
6	18.2	25-29
14	42.4	30-39
5	15.2	40 & over
		CLASSIFICATION STATUS
23	69.7	Occupational Education
10	30.3	All Others (General Programs)

I. End Notes

CLASSIFICATION STATUS -- Classification status of non-returning students was determined by courses completed during the 1993-94 Academic Year; those students who completed courses classified with a Sam Code of A, B, or C were counted as Occupational Education students, while all other students were classified as General Program students. The classification status of degree and certificate earners was based upon the actual classification of the award granted.

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Office Administration

Number	Percent	PRIMARY OBJECTIVE FOR ATTENDING OUR COLLEGE
11	33.3	Prepare for job change/advancement in same career
1	3.0	Improve ability to perform at present job
4	12.1	Obtain license/certification or credential
-0-	-0-	Maintain license/certification or credential
13	39.4	Prepare to transfer to a 4-year college
2	6.1	Improve skills, not for employment purposes
2	6.1	Other
		COMPLETION OF THIS OBJECTIVE/GOAL
13	40.6	Fully completed
18	56.3	Partially completed
1	3.1	Not completed
23	69.7	**PLAN TO PURSUE THEIR OBJECTIVE FURTHER AND WHERE**
10	30.3	At our college
4	12.1	At another two-year college
7	21.2	At a four-year college/university
12	36.4	In some other way
		EDUCATION REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVE
14	43.8	Selected course(s)
7	21.9	Certificate program
9	28.1	Two-year associate degree program
2	6.3	Other
		PRIMARY REASON FOR NOT RE-ENROLLING AT OUR COLLEGE
3	9.7	Completed associate degree or certificate
3	9.7	Completed desired courses
8	25.8	Transferred to another college
2	6.5	Found or seeking employment
2	6.5	Job hours conflict with school
6	19.4	Moved out of area/transportation problems
1	3.2	College was too expensive
-0-	-0-	Availability of courses inadequate
-0-	-0-	Grade problems
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with quality of instruction
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with content of courses
3	9.7	Personal/family reasons not listed above
3	9.7	Other
		UNITS COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
-0-	-0-	none
5	16.1	.5 to 15.5
10	32.3	16 to 29.5
5	16.1	30 to 45.5
4	12.9	46 to 59.5
7	22.6	60 or more
		LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAMINATION
4	12.1	Intended to take license/cert./credential exam at time of enrollment
1	3.0	Took license/cert./credential exam
1	100	Passed license/cert./credential exam

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT (CONTINUED)

EVALUATION OF COURSES, SERVICES AND EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE
(5-point scale where 5 = very satisfied and 1 = very disappointed; average ratings reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	SATISFACTION WITH COURSES IN MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY
27	4.19	Quality of instruction
27	3.96	Grading/testing
27	4.22	Instructor Interest
27	4.00	Content of course(s)
27	3.59	Instructional media
27	3.89	Class size
		RATING OF COLLEGE SERVICES
9	3.44	Assessment Center
2	3.50	Child Care Center
18	3.17	Counseling/Advisement
8	3.88	Financial aid
4	4.00	Health Center
6	3.17	Job placement services
15	3.93	Learning Center/Labs
17	4.00	Library services
3	3.00	Services for disabled
6	2.83	Student activities
7	3.43	Transfer Center
7	3.57	Tutoring services
4	3.00	Veteran services
31	4.19	GENERAL SATISFACTION WITH EXPERIENCE AT OUR COLLEGE

Number	Percent	BENEFIT OF COURSES COMPLETED IN TERMS OF CAREER PLANS
-0-	-0-	Of no benefit
6	18.8	Of indirect benefit
19	59.4	Of long term, direct benefit
7	21.9	Of immediate, direct benefit
		INTERESTED IN TAKING COURSES AT OUR COLLEGE IN FUTURE
15	46.9	Yes
17	53.1	No

II. End Notes

LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAM: those who intended to take the exam -- percent reported is total who intended to take exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who took the exam-- percent reported is total of those who took the exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who passed the exam -- percent reported is those who passed as a proportion of those who took the exam.

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Office Administration

Number	Percent	
29	87.9	TOTAL RESPONDENTS WHO WERE EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY
		EMPLOYMENT STATUS AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY
28	87.5	Employed (includes full- and part-time)
1	3.1	Full-time military service
3	9.4	Unemployed (but actively seeking employment)
-0-	-0-	Not in labor force (and not seeking employment)
27	93.1	WERE EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA
		WERE EMPLOYED IN OCCUPATIONAL FIELD PRIOR TO ENROLLING
17	68.0	Yes
8	32.0	No
		JOB RELATED TO COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
14	56.0	Yes, directly or closely related
11	44.0	No, only remotely related or not related at all
		REASONS WHY OCCUPATIONAL AREA WAS NOT RELATED TO COURSES
1	6.7	Not sufficiently qualified for a job in my field
3	20.0	Preferred to work in another field
-0-	-0-	Found better paying job in another field
1	6.7	Could not find a job in field of preparation
1	6.7	Worked previously in field of preparation, but changed
4	26.7	Transferred to a four-year college
5	33.3	Other

A. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD RELATED TO MAJOR*

		EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amount	AVERAGE PAY
8	57.1	Full-time	7	$25985.71	Annual income
6	42.9	Part-time	5	$8.41	Hourly income
			5	25.0	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

6	31.6	Helped to obtain job
9	47.4	Helped performance on present job
2	10.5	Helped advance to present job
2	10.5	None of the above
-0-	-0-	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

2	14.3	Less than six months
3	21.4	Six months to one year
2	14.3	More than one year
7	50.0	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
14	3.86	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

B. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

Number	Percent	EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amt.	AVERAGE PAY
10	90.9	Full-time	9	$35482.00	Annual income
1	9.1	Part-time	1	$5.00	Hourly income
			1	30.0	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

-0-	-0-	Helped to obtain job
5	45.5	Helped performance on present job
1	9.1	Helped advance to present job
4	36.4	None of the above
1	9.1	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE--RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

-0-	-0-	Less than six months
-0-	-0-	Six months to one year
1	9.1	More than one year
10	90.9	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
10	3.40	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR

III. End Notes

* RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED AND UNRELATED TO MAJOR REFERS TO MAJOR/COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY -- percent reported is total employed as a proportion of total respondents.

EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA -- percent reported is total employed in the SMSA as proportion of all respondents who are employed.

IV. COLLEGE/SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AT TIME OF SURVEY: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Office Administration

Number	Percent	ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TIME OF SURVEY
10	31.3	Currently attending college or school
22	68.8	Not currently attending college or school

		TRANSFER STATUS
1	7.1	Enrolled at a Los Rios community college
3	21.4	Transferred to other CA community colleges
7	50.0	Transferred to CSU, Sacramento
-0-	-0-	Transferred to CSU, all other campuses
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, Davis
1	7.1	Transferred to UC, all other campuses
2	14.3	Transferred to private CA colleges/universities/schools
-0-	-0-	Transferred to out-of-state colleges/universities
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify their institutions

		AMONG THOSE WHO REPORTED THEIR MAJORS,
10	71.4	Were majoring in Business/Management/Economics
1	7.1	Were majoring in Social/Behavioral Sciences
1	7.1	Were majoring in Engineering/Architecture
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Computer Science/Management Information Systems
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Communications
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Health/Health-Related Professions/Life Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in English/Humanities/Fine Arts
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Math/Physical Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Education/Early Childhood Education
1	7.1	Were majoring in Public Affairs/Public Management/Govt./Political Science
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Liberal Studies/Interdisciplinary Studies/General Studies
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Environmental Studies/Environmental Resource Management
1	7.1	Other majors
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify a major field of study

		PROBLEMS TRANSFERRING
12	92.3	No
1	7.7	Yes

PROBLEMS REPORTED WERE RELATED TO:

Number	Percent	
1	100	Transferring units
-0-	-0-	Transcripts
-0-	-0-	Admissions
-0-	-0-	Other

		UNITS ACCEPTED AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION
-0-	-0-	21 or more units not accepted
1	9.1	13-20 units not accepted
1	9.1	7-12 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	4-6 units not accepted
2	18.2	1-3 units not accepted
7	63.6	All units accepted

		ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
4	44.4	Part-time students (fewer than 12 units)
5	55.6	Full-time students (12 units or more)

		CLASSIFICATION AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
-0-	-0-	Freshmen
1	14.3	Sophomores
2	28.6	Juniors
3	42.9	Seniors
1	14.3	Graduate students

Number	Avg. Rating	RATING OF OUR COLLEGE--PREPARATION FOR CONTINUED EDUCATION
13	2.30	(5 point scale where 1 = preparation was excellent and 5 = preparation was inadequate; average rating reported)

I. DEMOGRAPHICS OF SURVEY POPULATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Real Estate

11		TOTAL RESPONDENTS
Number	Percent	COMPLETION STATUS
9	81.8	Non-returning students
1	9.1	Certificate earners
1	9.1	Degree earners
		ATTENDANCE STATUS DURING LAST SEMESTER ATTENDED
-0-	-0-	Full-time
10	100	Part-time
		GENDER
6	54.5	Male
5	45.5	Female
		ETHNICITY
2	18.2	African American
1	9.1	Native American
1	9.1	Asian
-0-	-0-	Latino
7	63.6	White
-0-	-0-	Other
-0-	-0-	Unknown
		AGE
-0-	-0-	under 18
-0-	-0-	18-20
1	9.1	21-24
4	36.4	25-29
6	54.5	30-39
-0-	-0-	40 & over
		CLASSIFICATION STATUS
10	90.9	Occupational Education
1	9.1	All Others (General Programs)

I. End Notes

CLASSIFICATION STATUS -- Classification status of non-returning students was determined by courses completed during the 1993-94 Academic Year; those students who completed courses classified with a Sam Code of A, B, or C were counted as Occupational Education students, while all other students were classified as General Program students. The classification status of degree and certificate earners was based upon the actual classification of the award granted.

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Real Estate

Number	Percent	PRIMARY OBJECTIVE FOR ATTENDING OUR COLLEGE
-0-	-0-	Prepare for job change/advancement in same career
-0-	-0-	Improve ability to perform at present job
5	45.5	Obtain license/certification or credential
1	9.1	Maintain license/certification or credential
5	45.5	Prepare to transfer to a 4-year college
-0-	-0-	Improve skills, not for employment purposes
-0-	-0-	Other
		COMPLETION OF THIS OBJECTIVE/GOAL
4	36.4	Fully completed
6	54.5	Partially completed
1	9.1	Not completed
11	100	**PLAN TO PURSUE THEIR OBJECTIVE FURTHER AND WHERE**
7	63.6	At our college
-0-	-0-	At another two-year college
3	27.3	At a four-year college/university
1	9.1	In some other way
		EDUCATION REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVE
5	45.5	Selected course(s)
1	9.1	Certificate program
5	45.5	Two-year associate degree program
-0-	-0-	Other
		PRIMARY REASON FOR NOT RE-ENROLLING AT OUR COLLEGE
1	10.0	Completed associate degree or certificate
-0-	-0-	Completed desired courses
-0-	-0-	Transferred to another college
-0-	-0-	Found or seeking employment
5	50.0	Job hours conflict with school
-0-	-0-	Moved out of area/transportation problems
2	20.0	College was too expensive
-0-	-0-	Availability of courses inadequate
-0-	-0-	Grade problems
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with quality of instruction
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with content of courses
1	10.0	Personal/family reasons not listed above
1	10.0	Other
		UNITS COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
-0-	-0-	none
5	45.5	.5 to 15.5
3	27.3	16 to 29.5
2	18.2	30 to 45.5
-0-	-0-	46 to 59.5
1	9.1	60 or more
		LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAMINATION
7	63.6	Intended to take license/cert./credential exam at time of enrollment
6	54.5	Took license/cert./credential exam
6	100	Passed license/cert./credential exam

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT (CONTINUED)

EVALUATION OF COURSES, SERVICES AND EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE
(5-point scale where 5 = very satisfied and 1 = very disappointed; average ratings reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	SATISFACTION WITH COURSES IN MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY
11	4.00	Quality of instruction
11	4.09	Grading/testing
11	4.27	Instructor Interest
11	4.18	Content of course(s)
11	3.55	Instructional media
10	3.70	Class size
		RATING OF COLLEGE SERVICES
2	4.00	Assessment Center
-0-	0.00	Child Care Center
5	2.80	Counseling/Advisement
2	4.00	Financial aid
-0-	0.00	Health Center
-0-	0.00	Job placement services
3	3.33	Learning Center/Labs
7	3.71	Library services
-0-	0.00	Services for disabled
-0-	0.00	Student activities
1	4.00	Transfer Center
-0-	0.00	Tutoring services
1	3.00	Veteran services
11	3.91	GENERAL SATISFACTION WITH EXPERIENCE AT OUR COLLEGE

Number	Percent	BENEFIT OF COURSES COMPLETED IN TERMS OF CAREER PLANS
1	9.1	Of no benefit
1	9.1	Of indirect benefit
5	45.5	Of long term, direct benefit
4	36.4	Of immediate, direct benefit
		INTERESTED IN TAKING COURSES AT OUR COLLEGE IN FUTURE
10	90.9	Yes
1	9.1	No

II. End Notes

LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAM: those who intended to take the exam -- percent reported is total who intended to take exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who took the exam-- percent reported is total of those who took the exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who passed the exam -- percent reported is those who passed as a proportion of those who took the exam.

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Real Estate

Number	Percent	
11	100	TOTAL RESPONDENTS WHO WERE EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY
		EMPLOYMENT STATUS AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY
11	100	Employed (includes full- and part-time)
-0-	-0-	Full-time military service
-0-	-0-	Unemployed (but actively seeking employment)
-0-	-0-	Not in labor force (and not seeking employment)
11	100	WERE EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA
		WERE EMPLOYED IN OCCUPATIONAL FIELD PRIOR TO ENROLLING
7	63.6	Yes
4	36.4	No
		JOB RELATED TO COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
8	72.7	Yes, directly or closely related
3	27.3	No, only remotely related or not related at all
		REASONS WHY OCCUPATIONAL AREA WAS NOT RELATED TO COURSES
-0-	-0-	Not sufficiently qualified for a job in my field
1	33.3	Preferred to work in another field
-0-	-0-	Found better paying job in another field
-0-	-0-	Could not find a job in field of preparation
1	33.3	Worked previously in field of preparation, but changed
-0-	-0-	Transferred to a four-year college
1	33.3	Other

A. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD RELATED TO MAJOR*

		EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amount	AVERAGE PAY
8	100	Full-time	6	$31666.67	Annual income
-0-	-0-	Part-time	-0-	$0.00	Hourly income
			-0-	0.00	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

2	15.4	Helped to obtain job
6	46.2	Helped performance on present job
4	30.8	Helped advance to present job
1	7.7	None of the above
-0-	-0-	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

2	28.6	Less than six months
-0-	-0-	Six months to one year
-0-	-0-	More than one year
5	71.4	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
8	4.13	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

B. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

Number	Percent	EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amt.	AVERAGE PAY
2	66.7	Full-time	2	$63000.00	Annual income
1	33.3	Part-time	1	$6.88	Hourly income
			1	25.0	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

-0-	-0-	Helped to obtain job
-0-	-0-	Helped performance on present job
-0-	-0-	Helped advance to present job
2	66.7	None of the above
1	33.3	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE--RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

1	33.3	Less than six months
-0-	-0-	Six months to one year
1	33.3	More than one year
1	33.3	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
3	3.33	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR

III. End Notes

* RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED AND UNRELATED TO MAJOR REFERS TO MAJOR/COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY -- percent reported is total employed as a proportion of total respondents.

EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA -- percent reported is total employed in the SMSA as proportion of all respondents who are employed.

IV. COLLEGE/SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AT TIME OF SURVEY: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Real Estate

Number	Percent	ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TIME OF SURVEY
2	18.2	Currently attending college or school
9	81.8	Not currently attending college or school

		TRANSFER STATUS
-0-	-0-	Enrolled at a Los Rios community college
-0-	-0-	Transferred to other CA community colleges
1	50.0	Transferred to CSU, Sacramento
-0-	-0-	Transferred to CSU, all other campuses
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, Davis
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, all other campuses
1	50.0	Transferred to private CA colleges/universities/schools
-0-	-0-	Transferred to out-of-state colleges/universities
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify their institutions

		AMONG THOSE WHO REPORTED THEIR MAJORS,
2	100	Were majoring in Business/Management/Economics
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Social/Behavioral Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Engineering/Architecture
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Computer Science/Management Information Systems
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Communications
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Health/Health-Related Professions/Life Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in English/Humanities/Fine Arts
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Math/Physical Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Education/Early Childhood Education
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Public Affairs/Public Management/Govt./Political Science
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Liberal Studies/Interdisciplinary Studies/General Studies
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Environmental Studies/Environmental Resource Management
-0-	-0-	Other majors
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify a major field of study

PROBLEMS TRANSFERRING

1	50.0	No
1	50.0	Yes

PROBLEMS REPORTED WERE RELATED TO:

Number	Percent	
1	100	Transferring units
-0-	-0-	Transcripts
-0-	-0-	Admissions
-0-	-0-	Other

		UNITS ACCEPTED AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION
1	50.0	21 or more units not accepted
1	50.0	13-20 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	7-12 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	4-6 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	1-3 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	All units accepted

		ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
-0-	-0-	Part-time students (fewer than 12 units)
1	100	Full-time students (12 units or more)

		CLASSIFICATION AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
-0-	-0-	Freshmen
-0-	-0-	Sophomores
1	100	Juniors
-0-	-0-	Seniors
-0-	-0-	Graduate students

Number	Avg. Rating	RATING OF OUR COLLEGE--PREPARATION FOR CONTINUED EDUCATION
2	1.50	(5 point scale where 1 = preparation was excellent and 5 = preparation was inadequate; average rating reported)

GENERAL PROGRAMS

I. DEMOGRAPHICS OF SURVEY POPULATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Art

14		TOTAL RESPONDENTS
Number	Percent	COMPLETION STATUS
12	85.7	Non-returning students
-0-	-0-	Certificate earners
2	14.3	Degree earners
		ATTENDANCE STATUS DURING LAST SEMESTER ATTENDED
1	9.1	Full-time
10	90.9	Part-time
		GENDER
4	28.6	Male
10	71.4	Female
		ETHNICITY
-0-	-0-	African American
-0-	-0-	Native American
1	7.1	Asian
2	14.3	Latino
11	78.6	White
-0-	-0-	Other
-0-	-0-	Unknown
		AGE
-0-	-0-	under 18
1	7.1	18-20
1	7.1	21-24
6	42.9	25-29
2	14.3	30-39
4	28.6	40 & over
		CLASSIFICATION STATUS
5	35.7	Occupational Education
9	64.3	All Others (General Programs)

I. End Notes

CLASSIFICATION STATUS -- Classification status of non-returning students was determined by courses completed during the 1993-94 Academic Year; those students who completed courses classified with a Sam Code of A, B, or C were counted as Occupational Education students, while all other students were classified as General Program students. The classification status of degree and certificate earners was based upon the actual classification of the award granted.

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Art

Number	Percent	PRIMARY OBJECTIVE FOR ATTENDING OUR COLLEGE
2	14.3	Prepare for job change/advancement in same career
1	7.1	Improve ability to perform at present job
2	14.3	Obtain license/certification or credential
-0-	-0-	Maintain license/certification or credential
6	42.9	Prepare to transfer to a 4-year college
2	14.3	Improve skills, not for employment purposes
1	7.1	Other
		COMPLETION OF THIS OBJECTIVE/GOAL
8	57.1	Fully completed
5	35.7	Partially completed
1	7.1	Not completed
8	57.1	**PLAN TO PURSUE THEIR OBJECTIVE FURTHER AND WHERE**
1	7.1	At our college
-0-	-0-	At another two-year college
5	35.7	At a four-year college/university
8	57.1	In some other way
		EDUCATION REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVE
8	57.1	Selected course(s)
1	7.1	Certificate program
4	28.6	Two-year associate degree program
1	7.1	Other
		PRIMARY REASON FOR NOT RE-ENROLLING AT OUR COLLEGE
1	7.7	Completed associate degree or certificate
4	30.8	Completed desired courses
-0-	-0-	Transferred to another college
-0-	-0-	Found or seeking employment
3	23.1	Job hours conflict with school
1	7.7	Moved out of area/transportation problems
2	15.4	College was too expensive
-0-	-0-	Availability of courses inadequate
-0-	-0-	Grade problems
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with quality of instruction
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with content of courses
-0-	-0-	Personal/family reasons not listed above
2	15.4	Other
		UNITS COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
1	7.1	none
1	7.1	.5 to 15.5
4	28.6	16 to 29.5
3	21.4	30 to 45.5
1	7.1	46 to 59.5
4	28.6	60 or more
		LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAMINATION
4	28.6	Intended to take license/cert./credential exam at time of enrollment
1	7.1	Took license/cert./credential exam
1	100	Passed license/cert./credential exam

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT (CONTINUED)

EVALUATION OF COURSES, SERVICES AND EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE
(5-point scale where 5 = very satisfied and 1 = very disappointed; average ratings reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	SATISFACTION WITH COURSES IN MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY
14	4.64	Quality of instruction
14	4.14	Grading/testing
14	4.64	Instructor Interest
14	4.57	Content of course(s)
14	4.36	Instructional media
14	4.21	Class size
		RATING OF COLLEGE SERVICES
3	4.33	Assessment Center
-0-	0.00	Child Care Center
8	4.00	Counseling/Advisement
3	4.00	Financial aid
3	4.33	Health Center
3	2.67	Job placement services
5	4.60	Learning Center/Labs
11	4.00	Library services
1	5.00	Services for disabled
1	3.00	Student activities
3	3.67	Transfer Center
3	4.67	Tutoring services
-0-	0.00	Veteran services
14	4.43	GENERAL SATISFACTION WITH EXPERIENCE AT OUR COLLEGE

Number	Percent	BENEFIT OF COURSES COMPLETED IN TERMS OF CAREER PLANS
1	9.1	Of no benefit
3	27.3	Of indirect benefit
5	45.5	Of long term, direct benefit
2	18.2	Of immediate, direct benefit
		INTERESTED IN TAKING COURSES AT OUR COLLEGE IN FUTURE
9	69.2	Yes
4	30.8	No

II. End Notes

LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAM: those who intended to take the exam -- percent reported is total who intended to take exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who took the exam-- percent reported is total of those who took the exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who passed the exam -- percent reported is those who passed as a proportion of those who took the exam.

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Art

Number	Percent	
8	57.1	TOTAL RESPONDENTS WHO WERE EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY
		EMPLOYMENT STATUS AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY
8	61.5	Employed (includes full- and part-time)
-0-	-0-	Full-time military service
-0-	-0-	Unemployed (but actively seeking employment)
5	38.5	Not in labor force (and not seeking employment)
7	87.5	WERE EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA
		WERE EMPLOYED IN OCCUPATIONAL FIELD PRIOR TO ENROLLING
4	80.0	Yes
1	20.0	No
		JOB RELATED TO COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
3	60.0	Yes, directly or closely related
2	40.0	No, only remotely related or not related at all
		REASONS WHY OCCUPATIONAL AREA WAS NOT RELATED TO COURSES
2	50.0	Not sufficiently qualified for a job in my field
-0-	-0-	Preferred to work in another field
-0-	-0-	Found better paying job in another field
1	25.0	Could not find a job in field of preparation
1	25.0	Worked previously in field of preparation, but changed
-0-	-0-	Transferred to a four-year college
-0-	-0-	Other

A. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD RELATED TO MAJOR*

		EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amount	AVERAGE PAY
2	66.7	Full-time	2	$14200.00	Annual income
1	33.3	Part-time	1	$6.50	Hourly income
			1	25.0	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

1	20.0	Helped to obtain job
3	60.0	Helped performance on present job
-0-	-0-	Helped advance to present job
-0-	-0-	None of the above
1	20.0	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

1	33.3	Less than six months
-0-	-0-	Six months to one year
1	33.3	More than one year
1	33.3	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
3	4.33	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

B. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

Number	Percent	EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amt.	AVERAGE PAY
1	50.0	Full-time	1	$21000.00	Annual income
1	50.0	Part-time	1	$6.50	Hourly income
			1	20.0	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

-0-	-0-	Helped to obtain job
-0-	-0-	Helped performance on present job
-0-	-0-	Helped advance to present job
2	100	None of the above
-0-	-0-	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE--RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

-0-	-0-	Less than six months
-0-	-0-	Six months to one year
-0-	-0-	More than one year
1	100	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
-0-	0.00	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR

III. End Notes

* RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED AND UNRELATED TO MAJOR REFERS TO MAJOR/COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY -- percent reported is total employed as a proportion of total respondents.

EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA -- percent reported is total employed in the SMSA as proportion of all respondents who are employed.

IV. COLLEGE/SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AT TIME OF SURVEY: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Art

Number	Percent	ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TIME OF SURVEY
3	21.4	Currently attending college or school
11	78.6	Not currently attending college or school
		TRANSFER STATUS
-0-	-0-	Enrolled at a Los Rios community college
1	16.7	Transferred to other CA community colleges
3	50.0	Transferred to CSU, Sacramento
-0-	-0-	Transferred to CSU, all other campuses
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, Davis
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, all other campuses
1	16.7	Transferred to private CA colleges/universities/schools
-0-	-0-	Transferred to out-of-state colleges/universities
1	16.7	Enrolled but did not identify their institutions
		AMONG THOSE WHO REPORTED THEIR MAJORS,
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Business/Management/Economics
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Social/Behavioral Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Engineering/Architecture
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Computer Science/Management Information Systems
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Communications
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Health/Health-Related Professions/Life Sciences
5	83.3	Were majoring in English/Humanities/Fine Arts
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Math/Physical Sciences
1	16.7	Were majoring in Education/Early Childhood Education
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Public Affairs/Public Management/Govt./Political Science
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Liberal Studies/Interdisciplinary Studies/General Studies
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Environmental Studies/Environmental Resource Management
-0-	-0-	Other majors
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify a major field of study
		PROBLEMS TRANSFERRING
5	83.3	No
1	16.7	Yes

PROBLEMS REPORTED WERE RELATED TO:

Number	Percent	
-0-	-0-	Transferring units
-0-	-0-	Transcripts
-0-	-0-	Admissions
-0-	-0-	Other

		UNITS ACCEPTED AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION
-0-	-0-	21 or more units not accepted
1	25.0	13-20 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	7-12 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	4-6 units not accepted
1	25.0	1-3 units not accepted
2	50.0	All units accepted
		ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
2	66.7	Part-time students (fewer than 12 units)
1	33.3	Full-time students (12 units or more)
		CLASSIFICATION AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
-0-	-0-	Freshmen
-0-	-0-	Sophomores
-0-	-0-	Juniors
1	33.3	Seniors
2	66.7	Graduate students

Number	Avg. Rating	RATING OF OUR COLLEGE--PREPARATION FOR CONTINUED EDUCATION
5	1.40	(5 point scale where 1 = preparation was excellent and 5 = preparation was inadequate; average rating reported)

I. DEMOGRAPHICS OF SURVEY POPULATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: General Education, Transfer / Liberal Arts

259		TOTAL RESPONDENTS
Number	Percent	COMPLETION STATUS
37	14.3	Non-returning students
-0-	-0-	Certificate earners
222	85.7	Degree earners
		ATTENDANCE STATUS DURING LAST SEMESTER ATTENDED
63	28.8	Full-time
156	71.2	Part-time
		GENDER
79	30.5	Male
180	69.5	Female
		ETHNICITY
10	3.9	African American
7	2.7	Native American
19	7.3	Asian
20	7.7	Latino
197	76.1	White
5	1.9	Other
1	0.4	Unknown
		AGE
-0-	-0-	under 18
32	12.4	18-20
118	45.6	21-24
37	14.3	25-29
46	17.8	30-39
26	10.0	40 & over
		CLASSIFICATION STATUS
13	5.0	Occupational Education
246	95.0	All Others (General Programs)

I. End Notes

CLASSIFICATION STATUS -- Classification status of non-returning students was determined by courses completed during the 1993-94 Academic Year; those students who completed courses classified with a Sam Code of A, B, or C were counted as Occupational Education students, while all other students were classified as General Program students. The classification status of degree and certificate earners was based upon the actual classification of the award granted.

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: General Education, Transfer / Liberal Arts

Number	Percent	PRIMARY OBJECTIVE FOR ATTENDING OUR COLLEGE
13	5.0	Prepare for job change/advancement in same career
5	1.9	Improve ability to perform at present job
8	3.1	Obtain license/certification or credential
2	0.8	Maintain license/certification or credential
220	84.9	Prepare to transfer to a 4-year college
3	1.2	Improve skills, not for employment purposes
8	3.1	Other
		COMPLETION OF THIS OBJECTIVE/GOAL
183	70.9	Fully completed
58	22.5	Partially completed
17	6.6	Not completed
228	88.0	**PLAN TO PURSUE THEIR OBJECTIVE FURTHER AND WHERE**
29	11.2	At our college
4	1.5	At another two-year college
188	72.6	At a four-year college/university
38	14.7	In some other way
		EDUCATION REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVE
52	20.2	Selected course(s)
6	2.3	Certificate program
187	72.5	Two-year associate degree program
13	5.0	Other
		PRIMARY REASON FOR NOT RE-ENROLLING AT OUR COLLEGE
129	50.8	Completed associate degree or certificate
15	5.9	Completed desired courses
63	24.8	Transferred to another college
3	1.2	Found or seeking employment
7	2.8	Job hours conflict with school
5	2.0	Moved out of area/transportation problems
2	0.8	College was too expensive
1	0.4	Availability of courses inadequate
1	0.4	Grade problems
2	0.8	Dissatisfied with quality of instruction
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with content of courses
12	4.7	Personal/family reasons not listed above
14	5.5	Other
		UNITS COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
1	0.4	none
11	4.3	.5 to 15.5
22	8.6	16 to 29.5
22	8.6	30 to 45.5
32	12.5	46 to 59.5
168	65.6	60 or more
		LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAMINATION
24	9.3	Intended to take license/cert./credential exam at time of enrollment
13	5.0	Took license/cert./credential exam
11	84.6	Passed license/cert./credential exam

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT (CONTINUED)

EVALUATION OF COURSES, SERVICES AND EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE
(5-point scale where 5 = very satisfied and 1 = very disappointed; average ratings reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	SATISFACTION WITH COURSES IN MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY
216	4.11	Quality of instruction
216	3.94	Grading/testing
214	4.08	Instructor Interest
214	4.06	Content of course(s)
211	3.72	Instructional media
215	3.82	Class size
		RATING OF COLLEGE SERVICES
122	3.89	Assessment Center
12	3.83	Child Care Center
215	3.65	Counseling/Advisement
71	3.48	Financial aid
50	4.08	Health Center
34	3.35	Job placement services
100	4.05	Learning Center/Labs
209	3.89	Library services
19	4.63	Services for disabled
40	3.83	Student activities
115	3.90	Transfer Center
50	3.68	Tutoring services
18	4.33	Veteran services
258	4.19	GENERAL SATISFACTION WITH EXPERIENCE AT OUR COLLEGE

Number	Percent	BENEFIT OF COURSES COMPLETED IN TERMS OF CAREER PLANS
4	1.6	Of no benefit
68	26.7	Of indirect benefit
134	52.5	Of long term, direct benefit
49	19.2	Of immediate, direct benefit
		INTERESTED IN TAKING COURSES AT OUR COLLEGE IN FUTURE
125	50.0	Yes
125	50.0	No

II. End Notes

LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAM: those who intended to take the exam -- percent reported is total who intended to take exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who took the exam-- percent reported is total of those who took the exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who passed the exam -- percent reported is those who passed as a proportion of those who took the exam.

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: General Education, Transfer / Liberal Arts

Number	Percent	
185	71.4	TOTAL RESPONDENTS WHO WERE EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY
		EMPLOYMENT STATUS AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY
185	71.7	Employed (includes full- and part-time)
-0-	-0-	Full-time military service
22	8.5	Unemployed (but actively seeking employment)
51	19.8	Not in labor force (and not seeking employment)
177	95.7	WERE EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA
		WERE EMPLOYED IN OCCUPATIONAL FIELD PRIOR TO ENROLLING
75	45.2	Yes
91	54.8	No
		JOB RELATED TO COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
37	22.6	Yes, directly or closely related
127	77.4	No, only remotely related or not related at all
		REASONS WHY OCCUPATIONAL AREA WAS NOT RELATED TO COURSES
28	17.7	Not sufficiently qualified for a job in my field
21	13.3	Preferred to work in another field
14	8.9	Found better paying job in another field
10	6.3	Could not find a job in field of preparation
1	0.6	Worked previously in field of preparation, but changed
61	38.6	Transferred to a four-year college
23	14.6	Other

A. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD RELATED TO MAJOR*

		EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amount	AVERAGE PAY
22	59.5	Full-time	18	$24939.41	Annual income
15	40.5	Part-time	15	$9.51	Hourly income
			14	20.7	Average hours worked/week

		WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*
12	24.5	Helped to obtain job
24	49.0	Helped performance on present job
8	16.3	Helped advance to present job
3	6.1	None of the above
2	4.1	Other

		TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*
7	19.4	Less than six months
3	8.3	Six months to one year
5	13.9	More than one year
21	58.3	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
36	3.81	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

B. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

Number	Percent	EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amt.	AVERAGE PAY
59	46.8	Full-time	52	$23911.46	Annual income
67	53.2	Part-time	66	$18.99	Hourly income
			66	22.1	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

16	12.5	Helped to obtain job
30	23.4	Helped performance on present job
7	5.5	Helped advance to present job
65	50.8	None of the above
10	7.8	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE--RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

18	15.0	Less than six months
10	8.3	Six months to one year
7	5.8	More than one year
85	70.8	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
102	3.19	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR

III. End Notes

* RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED AND UNRELATED TO MAJOR REFERS TO MAJOR/COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY -- percent reported is total employed as a proportion of total respondents.

EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA -- percent reported is total employed in the SMSA as proportion of all respondents who are employed.

IV. COLLEGE/SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AT TIME OF SURVEY: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: General Education, Transfer / Liberal Arts

Number	Percent	ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TIME OF SURVEY
186	72.1	Currently attending college or school
72	27.9	Not currently attending college or school

		TRANSFER STATUS
10	5.3	Enrolled at a Los Rios community college
2	1.1	Transferred to other CA community colleges
98	52.1	Transferred to CSU, Sacramento
31	16.5	Transferred to CSU, all other campuses
15	8.0	Transferred to UC, Davis
9	4.8	Transferred to UC, all other campuses
10	5.3	Transferred to private CA colleges/universities/schools
13	6.9	Transferred to out-of-state colleges/universities
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify their institutions

		AMONG THOSE WHO REPORTED THEIR MAJORS,
31	16.5	Were majoring in Business/Management/Economics
33	17.6	Were majoring in Social/Behavioral Sciences
6	3.2	Were majoring in Engineering/Architecture
5	2.7	Were majoring in Computer Science/Management Information Systems
11	5.9	Were majoring in Communications
21	11.2	Were majoring in Health/Health-Related Professions/Life Sciences
21	11.2	Were majoring in English/Humanities/Fine Arts
1	0.5	Were majoring in Math/Physical Sciences
15	8.0	Were majoring in Education/Early Childhood Education
9	4.8	Were majoring in Public Affairs/Public Management/Govt./Political Science
13	6.9	Were majoring in Liberal Studies/Interdisciplinary Studies/General Studies
3	1.6	Were majoring in Environmental Studies/Environmental Resource Management
14	7.4	Other majors
5	2.7	Enrolled but did not identify a major field of study

		PROBLEMS TRANSFERRING
158	87.8	No
22	12.2	Yes

PROBLEMS REPORTED WERE RELATED TO:

Number	Percent	
9	40.9	Transferring units
3	13.6	Transcripts
-0-	-0-	Admissions
-0-	-0-	Other

		UNITS ACCEPTED AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION
10	5.7	21 or more units not accepted
14	8.0	13-20 units not accepted
37	21.3	7-12 units not accepted
32	18.4	4-6 units not accepted
26	14.9	1-3 units not accepted
55	31.6	All units accepted

		ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
34	19.9	Part-time students (fewer than 12 units)
137	80.1	Full-time students (12 units or more)

		CLASSIFICATION AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
1	0.6	Freshmen
4	2.4	Sophomores
91	53.8	Juniors
69	40.8	Seniors
4	2.4	Graduate students

Number	Avg. Rating	RATING OF OUR COLLEGE--PREPARATION FOR CONTINUED EDUCATION
183	1.90	(5 point scale where 1 = preparation was excellent and 5 = preparation was inadequate; average rating reported)

I. DEMOGRAPHICS OF SURVEY POPULATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Interdisciplinary Studies

12		TOTAL RESPONDENTS
Number	Percent	COMPLETION STATUS
12	100	Non-returning students
-0-	-0-	Certificate earners
-0-	-0-	Degree earners
		ATTENDANCE STATUS DURING LAST SEMESTER ATTENDED
2	18.2	Full-time
9	81.8	Part-time
		GENDER
7	58.3	Male
5	41.7	Female
		ETHNICITY
-0-	-0-	African American
-0-	-0-	Native American
4	33.3	Asian
1	8.3	Latino
7	58.3	White
-0-	-0-	Other
-0-	-0-	Unknown
		AGE
1	8.3	under 18
2	16.7	18-20
3	25.0	21-24
-0-	-0-	25-29
5	41.7	30-39
1	8.3	40 & over
		CLASSIFICATION STATUS
4	33.3	Occupational Education
8	66.7	All Others (General Programs)

I. End Notes

CLASSIFICATION STATUS – Classification status of non-returning students was determined by courses completed during the 1993-94 Academic Year; those students who completed courses classified with a Sam Code of A, B, or C were counted as Occupational Education students, while all other students were classified as General Program students. The classification status of degree and certificate earners was based upon the actual classification of the award granted.

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Interdisciplinary Studies

Number	Percent	
		PRIMARY OBJECTIVE FOR ATTENDING OUR COLLEGE
1	8.3	Prepare for job change/advancement in same career
1	8.3	Improve ability to perform at present job
-0-	-0-	Obtain license/certification or credential
-0-	-0-	Maintain license/certification or credential
7	58.3	Prepare to transfer to a 4-year college
-0-	-0-	Improve skills, not for employment purposes
3	25.0	Other
		COMPLETION OF THIS OBJECTIVE/GOAL
5	41.7	Fully completed
3	25.0	Partially completed
4	33.3	Not completed
10	83.3	PLAN TO PURSUE THEIR OBJECTIVE FURTHER AND WHERE
1	8.3	At our college
2	16.7	At another two-year college
6	50.0	At a four-year college/university
3	25.0	In some other way
		EDUCATION REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVE
8	66.7	Selected course(s)
-0-	-0-	Certificate program
3	25.0	Two-year associate degree program
1	8.3	Other
		PRIMARY REASON FOR NOT RE-ENROLLING AT OUR COLLEGE
2	16.7	Completed associate degree or certificate
1	8.3	Completed desired courses
2	16.7	Transferred to another college
-0-	-0-	Found or seeking employment
-0-	-0-	Job hours conflict with school
1	8.3	Moved out of area/transportation problems
2	16.7	College was too expensive
1	8.3	Availability of courses inadequate
-0-	-0-	Grade problems
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with quality of instruction
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with content of courses
1	8.3	Personal/family reasons not listed above
2	16.7	Other
		UNITS COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
1	8.3	none
4	33.3	.5 to 15.5
1	8.3	16 to 29.5
1	8.3	30 to 45.5
1	8.3	46 to 59.5
4	33.3	60 or more
		LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAMINATION
1	8.3	Intended to take license/cert./credential exam at time of enrollment
-0-	-0-	Took license/cert./credential exam
-0-	-0-	Passed license/cert./credential exam

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT (CONTINUED)

EVALUATION OF COURSES, SERVICES AND EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE
(5-point scale where 5 = very satisfied and 1 = very disappointed; average ratings reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	SATISFACTION WITH COURSES IN MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY
11	4.36	Quality of instruction
11	3.91	Grading/testing
11	4.09	Instructor interest
11	4.09	Content of course(s)
12	3.58	Instructional media
11	3.64	Class size
		RATING OF COLLEGE SERVICES
2	3.00	Assessment Center
1	2.00	Child Care Center
7	3.14	Counseling/Advisement
4	2.75	Financial aid
1	2.00	Health Center
3	3.00	Job placement services
3	3.67	Learning Center/Labs
6	3.83	Library services
1	3.00	Services for disabled
1	1.00	Student activities
3	3.67	Transfer Center
2	3.50	Tutoring services
-0-	0.00	Veteran services
11	4.09	GENERAL SATISFACTION WITH EXPERIENCE AT OUR COLLEGE

Number	Percent	BENEFIT OF COURSES COMPLETED IN TERMS OF CAREER PLANS
1	9.1	Of no benefit
4	36.4	Of indirect benefit
4	36.4	Of long term, direct benefit
2	18.2	Of immediate, direct benefit
		INTERESTED IN TAKING COURSES AT OUR COLLEGE IN FUTURE
5	45.5	Yes
6	54.5	No

II. End Notes

LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAM: those who intended to take the exam -- percent reported is total who intended to take exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who took the exam-- percent reported is total of those who took the exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who passed the exam -- percent reported is those who passed as a proportion of those who took the exam.

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Interdisciplinary Studies

Number	Percent	
11	91.7	TOTAL RESPONDENTS WHO WERE EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY
		EMPLOYMENT STATUS AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY
11	91.7	Employed (includes full- and part-time)
-0-	-0-	Full-time military service
-0-	-0-	Unemployed (but actively seeking employment)
1	8.3	Not in labor force (and not seeking employment)
10	90.9	WERE EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA
		WERE EMPLOYED IN OCCUPATIONAL FIELD PRIOR TO ENROLLING
-0-	-0-	Yes
8	100	No
		JOB RELATED TO COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
1	12.5	Yes, directly or closely related
7	87.5	No, only remotely related or not related at all
		REASONS WHY OCCUPATIONAL AREA WAS NOT RELATED TO COURSES
2	22.2	Not sufficiently qualified for a job in my field
-0-	-0-	Preferred to work in another field
1	11.1	Found better paying job in another field
3	33.3	Could not find a job in field of preparation
-0-	-0-	Worked previously in field of preparation, but changed
1	11.1	Transferred to a four-year college
2	22.2	Other

A. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD RELATED TO MAJOR*

		EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amount	AVERAGE PAY
1	100	Full-time	-0-	$0.00	Annual income
-0-	-0-	Part-time	-0-	$0.00	Hourly income
			-0-	0.00	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

-0-	-0-	Helped to obtain job
1	100	Helped performance on present job
-0-	-0-	Helped advance to present job
-0-	-0-	None of the above
-0-	-0-	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

1	100	Less than six months
-0-	-0-	Six months to one year
-0-	-0-	More than one year
-0-	-0-	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
1	3.00	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

B. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

Number	Percent	EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amt.	AVERAGE PAY
5	71.4	Full-time	5	$23800.00	Annual income
2	28.6	Part-time	2	$6.63	Hourly income
			2	20.0	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

1	12.5	Helped to obtain job
1	12.5	Helped performance on present job
-0-	-0-	Helped advance to present job
5	62.5	None of the above
1	12.5	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE--RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

2	28.6	Less than six months
2	28.6	Six months to one year
1	14.3	More than one year
2	28.6	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
6	2.50	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR

III. End Notes

* RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED AND UNRELATED TO MAJOR REFERS TO MAJOR/COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY -- percent reported is total employed as a proportion of total respondents.

EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA -- percent reported is total employed in the SMSA as proportion of all respondents who are employed.

IV. COLLEGE/SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AT TIME OF SURVEY: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Interdisciplinary Studies

Number	Percent	ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TIME OF SURVEY
6	50.0	Currently attending college or school
6	50.0	Not currently attending college or school

		TRANSFER STATUS
-0-	-0-	Enrolled at a Los Rios community college
-0-	-0-	Transferred to other CA community colleges
1	14.3	Transferred to CSU, Sacramento
1	14.3	Transferred to CSU, all other campuses
1	14.3	Transferred to UC, Davis
-0-	-0-	Transferred to UC, all other campuses
1	14.3	Transferred to private CA colleges/universities/schools
3	42.9	Transferred to out-of-state colleges/universities
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify their institutions

		AMONG THOSE WHO REPORTED THEIR MAJORS,
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Business/Management/Economics
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Social/Behavioral Sciences
2	33.3	Were majoring in Engineering/Architecture
1	16.7	Were majoring in Computer Science/Management Information Systems
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Communications
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Health/Health-Related Professions/Life Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in English/Humanities/Fine Arts
1	16.7	Were majoring in Math/Physical Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Education/Early Childhood Education
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Public Affairs/Public Management/Govt./Political Science
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Liberal Studies/Interdisciplinary Studies/General Studies
2	33.3	Were majoring in Environmental Studies/Environmental Resource Management
-0-	-0-	Other majors
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify a major field of study

PROBLEMS TRANSFERRING

6	85.7	No
1	14.3	Yes

PROBLEMS REPORTED WERE RELATED TO:

Number	Percent	
1	100	Transferring units
1	100	Transcripts
-0-	-0-	Admissions
-0-	-0-	Other

		UNITS ACCEPTED AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION
1	14.3	21 or more units not accepted
-0-	-0-	13-20 units not accepted
1	14.3	7-12 units not accepted
3	42.9	4-6 units not accepted
-0-	-0-	1-3 units not accepted
2	28.6	All units accepted

		ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
1	16.7	Part-time students (fewer than 12 units)
5	83.3	Full-time students (12 units or more)

		CLASSIFICATION AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
-0-	-0-	Freshmen
2	33.3	Sophomores
2	33.3	Juniors
2	33.3	Seniors
-0-	-0-	Graduate students

Number	Avg. Rating	RATING OF OUR COLLEGE--PREPARATION FOR CONTINUED EDUCATION
7	1.90	(5 point scale where 1 = preparation was excellent and 5 = preparation was inadequate; average rating reported)

I. DEMOGRAPHICS OF SURVEY POPULATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Science

50		TOTAL RESPONDENTS
Number	Percent	COMPLETION STATUS
-0-	-0-	Non-returning students
-0-	-0-	Certificate earners
50	100	Degree earners
		ATTENDANCE STATUS DURING LAST SEMESTER ATTENDED
14	33.3	Full-time
28	66.7	Part-time
		GENDER
26	52.0	Male
24	48.0	Female
		ETHNICITY
1	2.0	African American
1	2.0	Native American
1	2.0	Asian
6	12.0	Latino
40	80.0	White
-0-	-0-	Other
1	2.0	Unknown
		AGE
-0-	-0-	under 18
2	4.0	18-20
17	34.0	21-24
17	34.0	25-29
13	26.0	30-39
1	2.0	40 & over
		CLASSIFICATION STATUS
-0-	-0-	Occupational Education
50	100	All Others (General Programs)

I. End Notes

CLASSIFICATION STATUS -- Classification status of non-returning students was determined by courses completed during the 1993-94 Academic Year; those students who completed courses classified with a Sam Code of A, B, or C were counted as Occupational Education students, while all other students were classified as General Program students. The classification status of degree and certificate earners was based upon the actual classification of the award granted.

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Science

Number	Percent	
		PRIMARY OBJECTIVE FOR ATTENDING OUR COLLEGE
2	4.0	Prepare for job change/advancement in same career
-0-	-0-	Improve ability to perform at present job
5	10.0	Obtain license/certification or credential
-0-	-0-	Maintain license/certification or credential
43	86.0	Prepare to transfer to a 4-year college
-0-	-0-	Improve skills, not for employment purposes
-0-	-0-	Other
		COMPLETION OF THIS OBJECTIVE/GOAL
38	76.0	Fully completed
10	20.0	Partially completed
2	4.0	Not completed
45	90.0	PLAN TO PURSUE THEIR OBJECTIVE FURTHER AND WHERE
2	4.0	At our college
2	4.0	At another two-year college
40	80.0	At a four-year college/university
6	12.0	In some other way
		EDUCATION REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVE
10	20.4	Selected course(s)
-0-	-0-	Certificate program
37	75.5	Two-year associate degree program
2	4.1	Other
		PRIMARY REASON FOR NOT RE-ENROLLING AT OUR COLLEGE
25	50.0	Completed associate degree or certificate
1	2.0	Completed desired courses
17	34.0	Transferred to another college
1	2.0	Found or seeking employment
-0-	-0-	Job hours conflict with school
2	4.0	Moved out of area/transportation problems
-0-	-0-	College was too expensive
1	2.0	Availability of courses inadequate
-0-	-0-	Grade problems
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with quality of instruction
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with content of courses
-0-	-0-	Personal/family reasons not listed above
3	6.0	Other
		UNITS COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
-0-	-0-	none
-0-	-0-	.5 to 15.5
1	2.0	16 to 29.5
1	2.0	30 to 45.5
4	8.0	46 to 59.5
44	88.0	60 or more
		LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAMINATION
2	4.0	Intended to take license/cert./credential exam at time of enrollment
2	4.0	Took license/cert./credential exam
1	50.0	Passed license/cert./credential exam

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT (CONTINUED)

EVALUATION OF COURSES, SERVICES AND EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE
(5-point scale where 5 = very satisfied and 1 = very disappointed; average ratings reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	SATISFACTION WITH COURSES IN MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY
49	4.31	Quality of instruction
49	4.02	Grading/testing
49	4.27	Instructor interest
49	4.24	Content of course(s)
47	3.89	Instructional media
49	3.88	Class size
		RATING OF COLLEGE SERVICES
28	4.04	Assessment Center
7	4.29	Child Care Center
40	3.40	Counseling/Advisement
22	3.82	Financial aid
12	3.83	Health Center
10	3.10	Job placement services
28	4.21	Learning Center/Labs
44	4.02	Library services
6	3.83	Services for disabled
11	3.55	Student activities
36	3.69	Transfer Center
18	3.89	Tutoring services
11	3.64	Veteran services
50	4.38	GENERAL SATISFACTION WITH EXPERIENCE AT OUR COLLEGE

Number	Percent	BENEFIT OF COURSES COMPLETED IN TERMS OF CAREER PLANS
-0-	-0-	Of no benefit
10	20.4	Of indirect benefit
26	53.1	Of long term, direct benefit
13	26.5	Of immediate, direct benefit
		INTERESTED IN TAKING COURSES AT OUR COLLEGE IN FUTURE
24	51.1	Yes
23	48.9	No

II. End Notes

LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAM: those who intended to take the exam -- percent reported is total who intended to take exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who took the exam-- percent reported is total of those who took the exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who passed the exam -- percent reported is those who passed as a proportion of those who took the exam.

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Science

Number	Percent	
37	74.0	TOTAL RESPONDENTS WHO WERE EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY
		EMPLOYMENT STATUS AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY
37	74.0	Employed (includes full- and part-time)
-0-	-0-	Full-time military service
2	4.0	Unemployed (but actively seeking employment)
11	22.0	Not in labor force (and not seeking employment)
35	94.6	WERE EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA
		WERE EMPLOYED IN OCCUPATIONAL FIELD PRIOR TO ENROLLING
15	46.9	Yes
17	53.1	No
		JOB RELATED TO COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
10	32.3	Yes, directly or closely related
21	67.7	No, only remotely related or not related at all
		REASONS WHY OCCUPATIONAL AREA WAS NOT RELATED TO COURSES
5	16.7	Not sufficiently qualified for a job in my field
2	6.7	Preferred to work in another field
3	10.0	Found better paying job in another field
2	6.7	Could not find a job in field of preparation
2	6.7	Worked previously in field of preparation, but changed
12	40.0	Transferred to a four-year college
4	13.3	Other

A. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD RELATED TO MAJOR*

		EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amount	AVERAGE PAY
6	66.7	Full-time	5	$37952.00	Annual income
3	33.3	Part-time	3	$10.00	Hourly income
			3	15.7	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

6	35.3	Helped to obtain job
7	41.2	Helped performance on present job
2	11.8	Helped advance to present job
1	5.9	None of the above
1	5.9	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

3	30.0	Less than six months
1	10.0	Six months to one year
-0-	-0-	More than one year
6	60.0	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
10	4.00	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

B. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

Number	Percent	EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amt.	AVERAGE PAY
7	35.0	Full-time	7	$17548.57	Annual income
13	65.0	Part-time	12	$10.75	Hourly income
			12	19.9	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

1	5.0	Helped to obtain job
4	20.0	Helped performance on present job
1	5.0	Helped advance to present job
13	65.0	None of the above
1	5.0	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE--RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

2	9.5	Less than six months
1	4.8	Six months to one year
1	4.8	More than one year
17	81.0	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
18	3.06	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR

III. End Notes

* RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED AND UNRELATED TO MAJOR REFERS TO MAJOR/COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY -- percent reported is total employed as a proportion of total respondents.

EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA -- percent reported is total employed in the SMSA as proportion of all respondents who are employed.

IV. COLLEGE/SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AT TIME OF SURVEY: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Science

Number	Percent	ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TIME OF SURVEY
42	84.0	Currently attending college or school
8	16.0	Not currently attending college or school

		TRANSFER STATUS
3	7.3	Enrolled at a Los Rios community college
2	4.9	Transferred to other CA community colleges
16	39.0	Transferred to CSU, Sacramento
6	14.6	Transferred to CSU, all other campuses
6	14.6	Transferred to UC, Davis
1	2.4	Transferred to UC, all other campuses
2	4.9	Transferred to private CA colleges/universities/schools
5	12.2	Transferred to out-of-state colleges/universities
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify their institutions

		AMONG THOSE WHO REPORTED THEIR MAJORS,
1	2.4	Were majoring in Business/Management/Economics
1	2.4	Were majoring in Social/Behavioral Sciences
12	28.6	Were majoring in Engineering/Architecture
3	7.1	Were majoring in Computer Science/Management Information Systems
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Communications
15	35.7	Were majoring in Health/Health-Related Professions/Life Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in English/Humanities/Fine Arts
5	11.9	Were majoring in Math/Physical Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Education/Early Childhood Education
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Public Affairs/Public Management/Govt./Political Science
1	2.4	Were majoring in Liberal Studies/Interdisciplinary Studies/General Studies
1	2.4	Were majoring in Environmental Studies/Environmental Resource Management
-0-	-0-	Other majors
3	7.1	Enrolled but did not identify a major field of study

		PROBLEMS TRANSFERRING
37	92.5	No
3	7.5	Yes

PROBLEMS REPORTED WERE RELATED TO:

Number	Percent	
1	33.3	Transferring units
2	66.7	Transcripts
-0-	-0-	Admissions
-0-	-0-	Other

		UNITS ACCEPTED AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION
7	18.9	21 or more units not accepted
6	16.2	13-20 units not accepted
5	13.5	7-12 units not accepted
3	8.1	4-6 units not accepted
2	5.4	1-3 units not accepted
14	37.8	All units accepted

		ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
9	23.1	Part-time students (fewer than 12 units)
30	76.9	Full-time students (12 units or more)

		CLASSIFICATION AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
-0-	-0-	Freshmen
2	5.3	Sophomores
21	55.3	Juniors
14	36.8	Seniors
1	2.6	Graduate students

Number	Avg. Rating	RATING OF OUR COLLEGE--PREPARATION FOR CONTINUED EDUCATION
41	1.60	(5 point scale where 1 = preparation was excellent and 5 = preparation was inadequate; average rating reported)

I. DEMOGRAPHICS OF SURVEY POPULATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Social Sciences

33		TOTAL RESPONDENTS
Number	**Percent**	COMPLETION STATUS
11	33.3	Non-returning students
-0-	-0-	Certificate earners
22	66.7	Degree earners
		ATTENDANCE STATUS DURING LAST SEMESTER ATTENDED
9	31.0	Full-time
20	69.0	Part-time
		GENDER
8	24.2	Male
25	75.8	Female
		ETHNICITY
-0-	-0-	African American
-0-	-0-	Native American
3	9.1	Asian
3	9.1	Latino
26	78.8	White
1	3.0	Other
-0-	-0-	Unknown
		AGE
-0-	-0-	under 18
2	6.1	18-20
17	51.5	21-24
2	6.1	25-29
6	18.2	30-39
6	18.2	40 & over
		CLASSIFICATION STATUS
2	6.1	Occupational Education
31	93.9	All Others (General Programs)

I. End Notes

CLASSIFICATION STATUS -- Classification status of non-returning students was determined by courses completed during the 1993-94 Academic Year; those students who completed courses classified with a Sam Code of A, B, or C were counted as Occupational Education students, while all other students were classified as General Program students. The classification status of degree and certificate earners was based upon the actual classification of the award granted.

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Social Sciences

Number	Percent	
		PRIMARY OBJECTIVE FOR ATTENDING OUR COLLEGE
1	3.0	Prepare for job change/advancement in same career
2	6.1	Improve ability to perform at present job
5	15.2	Obtain license/certification or credential
-0-	-0-	Maintain license/certification or credential
25	75.8	Prepare to transfer to a 4-year college
-0-	-0-	Improve skills, not for employment purposes
-0-	-0-	Other
		COMPLETION OF THIS OBJECTIVE/GOAL
25	75.8	Fully completed
5	15.2	Partially completed
3	9.1	Not completed
31	93.9	PLAN TO PURSUE THEIR OBJECTIVE FURTHER AND WHERE
3	9.1	At our college
1	3.0	At another two-year college
24	72.7	At a four-year college/university
5	15.2	In some other way
		EDUCATION REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVE
8	24.2	Selected course(s)
3	9.1	Certificate program
22	66.7	Two-year associate degree program
-0-	-0-	Other
		PRIMARY REASON FOR NOT RE-ENROLLING AT OUR COLLEGE
12	36.4	Completed associate degree or certificate
3	9.1	Completed desired courses
13	39.4	Transferred to another college
-0-	-0-	Found or seeking employment
1	3.0	Job hours conflict with school
-0-	-0-	Moved out of area/transportation problems
-0-	-0-	College was too expensive
-0-	-0-	Availability of courses inadequate
-0-	-0-	Grade problems
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with quality of instruction
-0-	-0-	Dissatisfied with content of courses
3	9.1	Personal/family reasons not listed above
1	3.0	Other
		UNITS COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
-0-	-0-	none
3	9.4	.5 to 15.5
2	6.3	16 to 29.5
8	25.0	30 to 45.5
4	12.5	46 to 59.5
15	46.9	60 or more
		LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAMINATION
2	6.1	Intended to take license/cert./credential exam at time of enrollment
-0-	-0-	Took license/cert./credential exam
-0-	-0-	Passed license/cert./credential exam

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT (CONTINUED)

EVALUATION OF COURSES, SERVICES AND EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE
(5-point scale where 5 = very satisfied and 1 = very disappointed; average ratings reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	SATISFACTION WITH COURSES IN MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY
32	4.34	Quality of instruction
31	3.94	Grading/testing
31	4.00	Instructor Interest
31	4.16	Content of course(s)
31	3.77	Instructional media
31	3.81	Class size
		RATING OF COLLEGE SERVICES
16	4.06	Assessment Center
1	3.00	Child Care Center
27	3.89	Counseling/Advisement
7	3.00	Financial aid
5	4.20	Health Center
3	3.00	Job placement services
15	4.13	Learning Center/Labs
24	4.04	Library services
1	3.00	Services for disabled
4	3.75	Student activities
19	3.79	Transfer Center
8	3.63	Tutoring services
2	3.50	Veteran services
33	4.45	GENERAL SATISFACTION WITH EXPERIENCE AT OUR COLLEGE

Number	Percent	BENEFIT OF COURSES COMPLETED IN TERMS OF CAREER PLANS
-0-	-0-	Of no benefit
7	21.9	Of indirect benefit
19	59.4	Of long term, direct benefit
6	18.8	Of immediate, direct benefit
		INTERESTED IN TAKING COURSES AT OUR COLLEGE IN FUTURE
16	51.6	Yes
15	48.4	No

II. End Notes

LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAM: those who intended to take the exam -- percent reported is total who intended to take exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who took the exam-- percent reported is total of those who took the exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who passed the exam -- percent reported is those who passed as a proportion of those who took the exam.

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Social Sciences

Number	Percent	
23	69.7	TOTAL RESPONDENTS WHO WERE EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY
		EMPLOYMENT STATUS AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY
23	71.9	Employed (includes full- and part-time)
-0-	-0-	Full-time military service
1	3.1	Unemployed (but actively seeking employment)
8	25.0	Not in labor force (and not seeking employment)
22	95.7	WERE EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA
		WERE EMPLOYED IN OCCUPATIONAL FIELD PRIOR TO ENROLLING
7	31.8	Yes
15	68.2	No
		JOB RELATED TO COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
4	19.0	Yes, directly or closely related
17	81.0	No, only remotely related or not related at all
		REASONS WHY OCCUPATIONAL AREA WAS NOT RELATED TO COURSES
8	29.6	Not sufficiently qualified for a job in my field
2	7.4	Preferred to work in another field
-0-	-0-	Found better paying job in another field
-0-	-0-	Could not find a job in field of preparation
-0-	-0-	Worked previously in field of preparation, but changed
12	44.4	Transferred to a four-year college
5	18.5	Other

A. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD RELATED TO MAJOR*

		EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amount	AVERAGE PAY
1	25.0	Full-time	1	$49500.00	Annual income
3	75.0	Part-time	3	$10.50	Hourly income
			3	23.3	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

2	28.6	Helped to obtain job
3	42.9	Helped performance on present job
1	14.3	Helped advance to present job
-0-	-0-	None of the above
1	14.3	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

1	25.0	Less than six months
-0-	-0-	Six months to one year
1	25.0	More than one year
2	50.0	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
4	3.75	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

B. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

Number	Percent	EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amt.	AVERAGE PAY
6	35.3	Full-time	5	$22200.00	Annual income
11	64.7	Part-time	10	$9.29	Hourly income
			10	20.1	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

-0-	-0-	Helped to obtain job
3	17.6	Helped performance on present job
1	5.9	Helped advance to present job
11	64.7	None of the above
2	11.8	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE--RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

3	17.6	Less than six months
1	5.9	Six months to one year
-0-	-0-	More than one year
13	76.5	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
15	3.13	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR

III. End Notes

* RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED AND UNRELATED TO MAJOR REFERS TO MAJOR/COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY -- percent reported is total employed as a proportion of total respondents.

EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA -- percent reported is total employed in the SMSA as proportion of all respondents who are employed.

IV. COLLEGE/SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AT TIME OF SURVEY: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Social Sciences

Number	Percent	ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TIME OF SURVEY
19	59.4	Currently attending college or school
13	40.6	Not currently attending college or school

		TRANSFER STATUS
-0-	-0-	Enrolled at a Los Rios community college
1	3.8	Transferred to other CA community colleges
17	65.4	Transferred to CSU, Sacramento
2	7.7	Transferred to CSU, all other campuses
1	3.8	Transferred to UC, Davis
2	7.7	Transferred to UC, all other campuses
2	7.7	Transferred to private CA colleges/universities/schools
1	3.8	Transferred to out-of-state colleges/universities
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify their institutions

		AMONG THOSE WHO REPORTED THEIR MAJORS,
1	3.8	Were majoring in Business/Management/Economics
19	73.1	Were majoring in Social/Behavioral Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Engineering/Architecture
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Computer Science/Management Information Systems
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Communications
2	7.7	Were majoring in Health/Health-Related Professions/Life Sciences
2	7.7	Were majoring in English/Humanities/Fine Arts
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Math/Physical Sciences
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Education/Early Childhood Education
2	7.7	Were majoring in Public Affairs/Public Management/Govt./Political Science
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Liberal Studies/Interdisciplinary Studies/General Studies
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Environmental Studies/Environmental Resource Management
-0-	-0-	Other majors
-0-	-0-	Enrolled but did not identify a major field of study

		PROBLEMS TRANSFERRING
25	96.2	No
1	3.8	Yes

PROBLEMS REPORTED WERE RELATED TO:

Number	Percent	
1	100	Transferring units
-0-	-0-	Transcripts
-0-	-0-	Admissions
-0-	-0-	Other

		UNITS ACCEPTED AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION
1	4.0	21 or more units not accepted
2	8.0	13-20 units not accepted
6	24.0	7-12 units not accepted
4	16.0	4-6 units not accepted
3	12.0	1-3 units not accepted
9	36.0	All units accepted

		ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
4	19.0	Part-time students (fewer than 12 units)
17	81.0	Full-time students (12 units or more)

		CLASSIFICATION AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
-0-	-0-	Freshmen
-0-	-0-	Sophomores
13	61.9	Juniors
8	38.1	Seniors
-0-	-0-	Graduate students

Number	Avg. Rating	RATING OF OUR COLLEGE--PREPARATION FOR CONTINUED EDUCATION
26	1.60	(5 point scale where 1 = preparation was excellent and 5 = preparation was inadequate; average rating reported)

MAJOR PROGRAM UNDECLARED

I. DEMOGRAPHICS OF SURVEY POPULATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Undeclared

196		TOTAL RESPONDENTS
Number	Percent	COMPLETION STATUS
196	100	Non-returning students
-0-	-0-	Certificate earners
-0-	-0-	Degree earners
		ATTENDANCE STATUS DURING LAST SEMESTER ATTENDED
7	4.2	Full-time
159	95.8	Part-time
		GENDER
74	37.8	Male
122	62.2	Female
		ETHNICITY
15	7.7	African American
3	1.5	Native American
24	12.2	Asian
13	6.6	Latino
132	67.3	White
9	4.6	Other
-0-	-0-	Unknown
		AGE
6	3.1	under 18
23	11.7	18-20
29	14.8	21-24
30	15.3	25-29
41	20.9	30-39
67	34.2	40 & over
		CLASSIFICATION STATUS
100	51.0	Occupational Education
96	49.0	All Others (General Programs)

I. End Notes

CLASSIFICATION STATUS -- Classification status of non-returning students was determined by courses completed during the 1993-94 Academic Year; those students who completed courses classified with a Sam Code of A, B, or C were counted as Occupational Education students, while all other students were classified as General Program students. The classification status of degree and certificate earners was based upon the actual classification of the award granted.

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Undeclared

Number	Percent	
		PRIMARY OBJECTIVE FOR ATTENDING OUR COLLEGE
44	22.8	Prepare for job change/advancement in same career
25	13.0	Improve ability to perform at present job
24	12.4	Obtain license/certification or credential
5	2.6	Maintain license/certification or credential
50	25.9	Prepare to transfer to a 4-year college
25	13.0	Improve skills, not for employment purposes
20	10.4	Other
		COMPLETION OF THIS OBJECTIVE/GOAL
72	37.9	Fully completed
87	45.8	Partially completed
31	16.3	Not completed
137	69.9	PLAN TO PURSUE THEIR OBJECTIVE FURTHER AND WHERE
63	32.1	At our college
14	7.1	At another two-year college
35	17.9	At a four-year college/university
84	42.9	In some other way
		EDUCATION REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVE
93	50.3	Selected course(s)
29	15.7	Certificate program
41	22.2	Two-year associate degree program
22	11.9	Other
		PRIMARY REASON FOR NOT RE-ENROLLING AT OUR COLLEGE
18	9.6	Completed associate degree or certificate
29	15.4	Completed desired courses
28	14.9	Transferred to another college
11	5.9	Found or seeking employment
26	13.8	Job hours conflict with school
11	5.9	Moved out of area/transportation problems
8	4.3	College was too expensive
10	5.3	Availability of courses inadequate
3	1.6	Grade problems
6	3.2	Dissatisfied with quality of instruction
1	0.5	Dissatisfied with content of courses
21	11.2	Personal/family reasons not listed above
16	8.5	Other
		UNITS COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
8	4.3	none
104	55.9	.5 to 15.5
30	16.1	16 to 29.5
10	5.4	30 to 45.5
9	4.8	46 to 59.5
25	13.4	60 or more
		LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAMINATION
27	13.8	Intended to take license/cert./credential exam at time of enrollment
20	10.2	Took license/cert./credential exam
17	85.0	Passed license/cert./credential exam

II. COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AS LRCCD STUDENT (CONTINUED)

EVALUATION OF COURSES, SERVICES AND EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE
(5-point scale where 5 = very satisfied and 1 = very disappointed; average ratings reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	SATISFACTION WITH COURSES IN MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY
145	4.11	Quality of instruction
144	4.00	Grading/testing
143	4.14	Instructor interest
142	4.02	Content of course(s)
139	3.80	Instructional media
141	3.72	Class size
		RATING OF COLLEGE SERVICES
37	3.76	Assessment Center
7	3.71	Child Care Center
64	3.61	Counseling/Advisement
29	3.41	Financial aid
18	3.67	Health Center
17	3.41	Job placement services
45	4.02	Learning Center/Labs
94	3.97	Library services
11	3.64	Services for disabled
17	3.35	Student activities
20	3.85	Transfer Center
20	3.35	Tutoring services
7	3.00	Veteran services
191	3.87	GENERAL SATISFACTION WITH EXPERIENCE AT OUR COLLEGE

Number	Percent	BENEFIT OF COURSES COMPLETED IN TERMS OF CAREER PLANS
11	5.8	Of no benefit
60	31.7	Of indirect benefit
81	42.9	Of long term, direct benefit
37	19.6	Of immediate, direct benefit
		INTERESTED IN TAKING COURSES AT OUR COLLEGE IN FUTURE
122	65.2	Yes
65	34.8	No

II. End Notes

LICENSE/CERTIFICATION OR CREDENTIAL EXAM: those who intended to take the exam -- percent reported is total who intended to take exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who took the exam-- percent reported is total of those who took the exam as a proportion of total respondents; those who passed the exam -- percent reported is those who passed as a proportion of those who took the exam.

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Undeclared

Number	Percent	
138	70.4	TOTAL RESPONDENTS WHO WERE EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY
		EMPLOYMENT STATUS AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY
137	72.1	Employed (includes full- and part-time)
1	0.5	Full-time military service
15	7.9	Unemployed (but actively seeking employment)
37	19.5	Not in labor force (and not seeking employment)
123	89.1	WERE EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA
		WERE EMPLOYED IN OCCUPATIONAL FIELD PRIOR TO ENROLLING
81	66.9	Yes
40	33.1	No
		JOB RELATED TO COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE
62	50.4	Yes, directly or closely related
61	49.6	No, only remotely related or not related at all
		REASONS WHY OCCUPATIONAL AREA WAS NOT RELATED TO COURSES
7	10.6	Not sufficiently qualified for a job in my field
12	18.2	Preferred to work in another field
7	10.6	Found better paying job in another field
7	10.6	Could not find a job in field of preparation
3	4.5	Worked previously in field of preparation, but changed
8	12.1	Transferred to a four-year college
22	33.3	Other

A. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD RELATED TO MAJOR*

		EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amount	AVERAGE PAY
48	82.8	Full-time	38	$30168.63	Annual income
10	17.2	Part-time	10	$12.85	Hourly income
			9	27.8	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

14	17.9	Helped to obtain job
34	43.6	Helped performance on present job
15	19.2	Helped advance to present job
10	12.8	None of the above
5	6.4	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

7	12.3	Less than six months
3	5.3	Six months to one year
7	12.3	More than one year
40	70.2	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
60	3.83	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED TO MAJOR*

III. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

B. RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR*

EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND AVERAGE PAY FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELD UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

Number	Percent	EMPLOYMENT STATUS	Number	Avg. Amt.	AVERAGE PAY
45	76.3	Full-time	39	$27842.87	Annual income
14	23.7	Part-time	12	$8.03	Hourly income
			13	20.7	Average hours worked/week

WAYS COLLEGE COURSES HELPED ON THE JOB FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

7	11.1	Helped to obtain job
15	23.8	Helped performance on present job
6	9.5	Helped advance to present job
26	41.3	None of the above
9	14.3	Other

TIME IT TOOK TO OBTAIN JOB AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE--RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UN-RELATED TO MAJOR*

9	16.1	Less than six months
7	12.5	Six months to one year
3	5.4	More than one year
37	66.1	Not applicable

RATING TRAINING IN RELATION TO USEFULNESS FOR JOB
(5-point scale where 5 = very good and 1 = very poor; average rating reported)

Number	Avg. Rating	
46	3.37	FOR RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS UNRELATED TO MAJOR

III. End Notes

* RESPONDENTS IN FIELDS RELATED AND UNRELATED TO MAJOR REFERS TO MAJOR/COURSES COMPLETED AT OUR COLLEGE.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS EMPLOYED AT TIME OF SURVEY -- percent reported is total employed as a proportion of total respondents.

EMPLOYED IN THE 4-COUNTY SACRAMENTO MSA -- percent reported is total employed in the SMSA as proportion of all respondents who are employed.

IV. COLLEGE/SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AT TIME OF SURVEY: AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAJOR: Undeclared

Number	Percent	ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TIME OF SURVEY
53	27.6	Currently attending college or school
139	72.4	Not currently attending college or school

		TRANSFER STATUS
9	13.4	Enrolled at a Los Rios community college
9	13.4	Transferred to other CA community colleges
16	23.9	Transferred to CSU, Sacramento
8	11.9	Transferred to CSU, all other campuses
5	7.5	Transferred to UC, Davis
2	3.0	Transferred to UC, all other campuses
12	17.9	Transferred to private CA colleges/universities/schools
5	7.5	Transferred to out-of-state colleges/universities
1	1.5	Enrolled but did not identify their institutions

		AMONG THOSE WHO REPORTED THEIR MAJORS,
8	12.1	Were majoring in Business/Management/Economics
8	12.1	Were majoring in Social/Behavioral Sciences
6	9.1	Were majoring in Engineering/Architecture
4	6.1	Were majoring in Computer Science/Management Information Systems
4	6.1	Were majoring in Communications
8	12.1	Were majoring in Health/Health-Related Professions/Life Sciences
8	12.1	Were majoring in English/Humanities/Fine Arts
-0-	-0-	Were majoring in Math/Physical Sciences
5	7.6	Were majoring in Education/Early Childhood Education
2	3.0	Were majoring in Public Affairs/Public Management/Govt./Political Science
1	1.5	Were majoring in Liberal Studies/Interdisciplinary Studies/General Studies
1	1.5	Were majoring in Environmental Studies/Environmental Resource Management
4	6.1	Other majors
7	10.6	Enrolled but did not identify a major field of study

		PROBLEMS TRANSFERRING
58	92.1	No
5	7.9	Yes

PROBLEMS REPORTED WERE RELATED TO:

Number	Percent	
2	40.0	Transferring units
2	40.0	Transcripts
-0-	-0-	Admissions
-0-	-0-	Other

		UNITS ACCEPTED AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION
2	3.8	21 or more units not accepted
3	5.8	13-20 units not accepted
7	13.5	7-12 units not accepted
4	7.7	4-6 units not accepted
6	11.5	1-3 units not accepted
30	57.7	All units accepted

		ENROLLMENT STATUS AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
10	22.7	Part-time students (fewer than 12 units)
34	77.3	Full-time students (12 units or more)

		CLASSIFICATION AT TRANSFER INSTITUTION AT TIME OF SURVEY
3	7.7	Freshmen
3	7.7	Sophomores
11	28.2	Juniors
14	35.9	Seniors
8	20.5	Graduate students

Number	Avg. Rating	RATING OF OUR COLLEGE--PREPARATION FOR CONTINUED EDUCATION
58	1.90	(5 point scale where 1 = preparation was excellent and 5 = preparation was inadequate; average rating reported)